

BROTHERLY QUARREL ENDS IN SHOOTING

A brotherly quarrel came to an end Monday night (for the time being at least) when Jesse Bohanan shot his brother, Will, with a shotgun, four buckshots lodging in his arm and one against a rib. His injuries are not considered serious.

Will Bohanan, the elder of the two, is about 30, and Jesse about 25. The two brothers are farming the Tom Myers farm in New Madrid county, about four miles west of Sikeston and the trouble took place there in somewhat the following manner, according to the most reliable information obtainable by The Standard.

The two were working different parts of the farm, Will providing the farm machinery. Will was working out his cotton Monday morning and had his small boy riding a cultivator in a corn field. The cultivator was heavy and unmanageable and so Bill told the boy to go down to Jesse's and get a "Busy Bee" cultivator that he thought would be easier for him to handle. When the youngster went after the cultivator, Jesse refused to let him have it and the boy brought that information back to Will.

After he had come in from work that evening, Will took his team and went down to Jesse's and started hitching on to the cultivator. As he was so doing, Jesse appeared on the scene with a shotgun. What actually took place is not known. Will states, it is reported, that he didn't stop to argue the question at all, but started to get out of the way, but that Jesse shot without giving him a chance.

Doubtless the trouble arose thru one of the other or both brothers losing their temper and while The Standard has been unable to find whether Jesse has taken any legal action against his brother, it is quite likely that the two have come to an agreement and that both are ashamed of this regrettable quarrel and it's what might well have proved fatal consequences.

CONDITIONS ON FARMS LOCALLY ARE FAVORABLE

Wheat cutting is general all over Southeast Missouri this week and threshing will get under way not later than the last of next week. The wheat yield is expected to be average, the heads being well filled out, but shorter than usual.

The condition of other crops, in the territory immediately surrounding Sikeston especially, is most promising. The recent rains have supplied plenty of moisture and the cotton and corn have taken on a splendid growth. The farmers have been able to get into their fields soon after the rains and work them over and so both crops are free from weeds.

Conditions in the Little River District are not so promising as that section has not been favored with the fine rains that this section has been the recipient of.

County Agent Renner informs The Standard that many of the farmers over the county who have planted sunflowers, are being troubled by a bore which attacks these plants. The nature of this insect and the best method of combating it, have not yet been determined and a specialist from the Missouri College of Agriculture was in Scott County Wednesday making a study of conditions in hope of working out a remedy. One farmer near Morley was compelled to plow under a forty-acre field and replant because of the damage done by this pest to his crop.

LEAVING SATURDAY ON FISHING TRIP TO OZARKS

A number of local men are leaving Saturday on a ten-days' fishing trip in the Ozarks. Those making the trip are: Dan McCoy, George Weber of St. Louis, W. E. Derris, W. E. Derris, Jr., Dr. T. C. McClure, Charles H. Yanson, Ed Kendall and Isaiah Washington, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Colored.

They chartered the steamer, Silver Shoal, to take them and their supplies up the Current River from Doniphan to Buffalo, where the river abounds in game fish.

Misses Hilma Black and Martha Gresham and Jack Bowman and Jack Stubbs drove to Cape Girardeau Tuesday night.

Misses Ruth McCoy, Ruth Allard, Clara Lindley, Lucille and Lillian Kendall, Mesdames Ned Tanner and Chester Limbaugh were the weekend guests of Mrs. Sid Finley of Charleston.

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Pearman Hinkle has accepted a position in St. Louis. Dudley's Confectionery is sporting a new linoleum carpet on the floor. Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gervig and children left Monday for Belleville, Ill., where they will make their home.

James F. Fulbright was in town on business, Tuesday. M. E. Montgomery left Monday for a business trip to Kansas City. Mrs. Nancy Henson and baby are spending the summer in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tyler.

Call the Inman Store Co., 126 or 136 for the best in meats, groceries and drygoods. W. G. Davis of the Chicago office of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, transacted business in Sikeston on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Dorothy Walker will leave on Sunday for a visit with relatives in Tennessee. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Fisher of Morehouse entertained the Wednesday Night Bridge Club at their home in that city.

DISCUSS PROSPECTS FOR OIL THURSDAY

A public meeting to discuss the oil prospects at the well which is being sunk near Himmel, five miles west of Crowder, was called for at the City Hall in Morehouse Thursday night by promoter, Thomas Arnold.

The promoters seem very optimistic concerning the chances of the well coming in. A depth of 1300 feet has been reached and according to reports oil laden sands have been brought to the surface. Attempts to determine the richness of this strata of oil bearing sand have been handicapped by a flow of artesian water struck at a depth of 900 feet, which will have to be cased out before the sand can be brought to the surface intact.

For the past three weeks the promoter has been attempting to check the flow of water, but without success as yet. If the amount of oil found at the present depth is not sufficient to justify pumping, the well will be sent on down to a depth of 2500 feet, the promoter claims. The well, commonly known as the Himmel well, has a checkered history which, as related in the Cape Missourian, follows:

Several years ago there was organized at Sikeston a corporation known as the Semo Development Company. This company started the well, which is located on the northwest quarter of Section 28, Township 27, Range 12, in Stoddard County. They purchased good drilling equipment and started the well, but soon gave it up.

Then the equipment and lease were turned over to a common-law trust, known as the H. P. C. Oil and Gas Syndicate. This company drilled to a depth of 400 feet, where they abandoned the enterprise because of lack of funds to continue farther.

The well then remained idle, there being no one who cared to take up the drilling, until last year, when a co-partnership known as Berry & Bean, of Oklahoma, took charge and drilled to a depth of 500 feet. They, too, abandoned it because of lack of funds.

Not long after Berry & Bean abandoned the undertaking the well and equipment were taken over by Thomas Arnold and his associates, who have the present lease on the property. They have drilled deeper than any of the men who preceded them, and have reached the depth of 1300 feet. At 900 feet they struck the stream of artesian water that is hindering their operations now, but at present they are reaming the hole preparatory to sinking an eight-inch casing that will stop the flow of water. As soon as the casing is down they expect to determine if the sand contains oil in sufficient quantities to make pumping at that depth paying. If it is found that it is not, they will drill deeper.

\$100 FINE AND 6 MONTHS IN JAIL TO MEN FOR THEFT

Charles Manly and Henry Ates of Paragould, Ark., were found guilty of theft in the court of Police Judge W. S. Smith, Tuesday and received the maximum sentence for petty larceny, six months in jail and a fine of \$100.

Manly and Ates were arrested on June 2nd and held over in the county jail at Benton until their case could be tried. They were accused of theft and upon them was found goods which had been taken from several local merchants, also a quantity of goods that could not be identified. The total value of the merchandise was about sixty dollars.

These two, it is presumed, were working their way about through the country by thieving, one stealing the goods while the other engaged the attention of the clerk. At each town they would sell the loot taken from the place last visited. Prosecuting Attorney Steve Barton of Benton, prosecuted the case.

Inman Store Company can supply your needs in the grocery, meat and dry goods lines. Phones 126, 136.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tongate entertained with a farewell party at their home Monday evening in honor of the former's sister, Miss Beulah Swanner. The guests were: Misses Jessie Vaughn, Julia Buckle, Virginia Martin, Lola Smith, Vera Singleton, Elsie Bates, Thelma Colley, Pearl Crutchfield, Lessie Page and Earl Singleton, Bernard Crain, Willard Sexton, Earl Stacy, Ernest Inman, Lee Page, Mac Bomer, Elzie Boardman, Otis Champion and Robney Kirby. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and minis were served.

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\$2.25

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3 pairs 25c 13 pairs \$1.00
Men's White Handkerchiefs
3 for 10c

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39c

Men's good grade blue work shirts, 75c values
49c

One lot good Balbriggan union suits, only
59c

Boy's well made overalls ages 6 to 16
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Ladies Fiber Silk hose
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One lot Silk Dresses, values to \$10, while they last
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One lot ladies Gingham Aprons fast colors, \$2 values
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The land owners of Southeast Missouri has it in his power, to a great extent, to determine the class of citizens that we have on the farms. Some ten years ago a bunch of night riders from the Kentucky hills attempted to take charge of affairs of the landowner by threats of force and it was not until some of them were sent to the penitentiary and others put off the land, that they concluded this was no place for them. Then came the moonshiner from various sections and proceeded to do as they please, make and sell whiskey contrary to the law—shoot and kill if necessary. Now who is at fault that we have this class? We'll say the landowner, because he is not particular enough to learn the habits of the man before he places him on the land. If we are to give protection to one another we should secure the best grade of help possible and not take the first that comes along.

It might not be out of place to call the attention of the Scrapping Protestants of the United States to the solidarity of the Roman Catholics of the States and the World. The Protestants have no head of all their churches but each sect has a leader and few of the leaders agree with each other. We are not a Roman Catholic and never will be, but the strides the Catholics are making throughout the United States and the world should be sufficient to show Protestants that their family bickerings and fights are losing them the respect of non-members of any church who are attracted to the Roman Catholic Church for the reason that one hears of no bickerings anywhere along the line from the Pope at Rome down to the lowliest priest. Real actions and real Christianity is the Church that will reap the reward.

On another page of The Standard will be found a statement issued from Washington by Secretary Mellon of the Treasury Department, which shows conclusively that the Coolidge Administration have had no intention of permitting any so-called farm legislation becoming a law. Mellon calls the provisions of the Haugen Bill a subsidy for cotton, wheat, corn, hogs and cattle and says "it would have to be paid the consumer. He also says if the farmers are given the subsidy then must the manufacturers be given a subsidy. The manufacturers and the railroads now have a subsidy in the way of a high protective tariff and high freight rates, that Congress has already given them. It is high time that the people of the agricultural sections of the United States are given them some sort of a guarantee that they shall have a reasonable return on their investments and for their labor. How this is to be accomplished remains to be seen. One thing is certain and that is all legislation at Washington is dictated by the manufacturing interests of the New England States and none of it is good for the farmer.

If Thad Snow is the nominee of the Democrats for Congress in this District at the August primary, there will be thousands of Republicans vote for him at the general election believing in his sincerity and honesty of purpose. It's action that is wanted in the Halls of Congress and not hot air and if Thad Snow is sent up to succeed Bailey, he will vote the will of his people and not the orders from New England.

Brian Edwards of Morehouse is a candidate for the Legislature from that county. He is splendidly equipped for the position, is engaged in extension work for the State, been a citizen of and a teacher of Morehouse for some time. The farmer now needs some representation from men who know farming.

The office force doffs its hat to Mrs. J. N. Sheppard for a large platter of real doughnuts sent to us on Tuesday. They were of the Sheppard variety of cooking and much relished.

If some people we know would spend half the time they waste in telling their friends what they are going to do in actually doing it, they might accomplish something.

Don't confuse the Eucharist Congress to open in Chicago, Sunday, with a Eunuchs Congress. They are different but results are the same.

IN THE STANDARD TWELVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. I. Becker and children spent Sunday in Charleston with Mrs. Wigle.

Miss Hazel Wilson went to Oran Tuesday to visit with relatives for a few days.

Misses Bess Randol and Burnice Tanner have invited a host of friends to meet them at the City Club this evening and be their guests at a harvest dance. The girls will wear gingham aprons and the boys overalls. It will, no doubt, be a pleasant affair.

Little Marguerite Rogers went to Memphis, Tenn., Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Wilma Warmack.

E. J. Keith and wife went to Washington, Ind., Wednesday. Mr. Keith on business and Mrs. Keith to visit her father.

Miss Irene Hollister, who has been in Kansas City for the past year, is spending her vacation in Sikeston with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hollister.

Mesdames W. C. Bowman and children, Lyman Bowman and children and Sam Bowman and son returned Wednesday from Dawson Springs, Ky., where they have been for the past two weeks.

Lyman Matthews, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matthews of Sikeston, and Mrs. Florence Swink Walker, of Farmington, were married at Farmington Wednesday. Those in attendance from Sikeston were: A. J. Matthews, wife and daughter, Miss Mary, E. A. Matthews and wife, L. D. Baker and wife, Leonard McMullin and wife. The Standard join in wishing the young couple a happy and prosperous future.

The Embroidery Club met with Mrs. Charles Yanson Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. D. N. Allard and son, Fred, returnedaturday from Illinois, where they had been visiting relatives.

Miss Hazel Stubbs visited Miss Lucille Alexander at Charleston the first of the week.

Joe Stubbs and W. H. Sikes filled a social engagement in Charleston, Sunday evening.

Misses Nina Marshall and Marie Chaney are expected home from Arcadia today. The young ladies will no doubt, be mighty glad to get back to their homes.

Lee Bowman was the guest of Miss Verna Cox, at Lilbourn, Friday.

Clay Stubbs returned Friday from Upper Alton, Ill., where he has been attending school for the past few months.

Miss Willie Pharris gave a bunking party Thursday night to which the following young ladies attended: Gladys Kendall, Marjorie Smith, Hetty Mayfield, Keturah White, Vera Walpole, Margaret Shanks, Edna Freeman. The girls attended the show, went to the City Club for a little dance, had some refreshments and were then supposed to sleep, but practically no sleep was had—only a good time and a splendid breakfast.

WHY GIRLS LEAVE HOME

Too much work—not enough work.
Too much money—not enough money.

Too much discipline—not enough discipline.

Too much education—not enough education.

Too much gossip—not enough gossip.

Too much sweetheart—not enough sweetheart.

We observe where some learned writer says the automobile is the cause of so many unmarried mothers and we are just wondering if the automobile has anything to do with so many unmarried fathers.

AROUND THE WORLD IN TWENTY-ONE DAYS

On the 11th February, 1780, a British Army, under Sir Henry Clinton, landed within thirty miles of the city and commenced to advance upon it. Clinton formed a depot of supplies and built fortifications at Wapoo, on James' Island; on the 1st of April he crossed the Ashley and invested the city, at the same time his fleet crossed the bar, and this time passing Fort Moultrie under a heavy fire, but without engaging it, sailed into the harbor. The American forces of less than 4,000 men, chiefly militia under command of General Lincoln, made active preparations for defence, strong lines of fortifications were thrown up across the Neck, and the works on South Bay, and other exposed parts of the city, strengthened and manned.

The British advanced against the land side, by regular approaches, keeping up meantime a heavy bombardment; several skirmishes occurred between portions of the two armies, but there was no general engagement, and on the 12th of May, the enemy having carried the outer works, prepared for a general assault by land and sea; when the garrison perceiving that further resistance was useless, and having already suffered heavily from sickness and want of food, determined to capitulate.

The British held the city until the 14th of December, 1782, and under their harsh rule the inhabitants had to endure many privations and indignities. At that time the commander, General Leslie, having leveled the walls of the town and of Fort Johnson, notified General Greene of the intended evacuation; and an arrangement was made for the American troops to enter the town as the British left it, both parties pledging themselves to abstain from any hostile demonstrations.

As may be supposed, great rejoicings followed this event. So far as Charleston was concerned, the war was virtually ended and the general peace which was made soon after removed all further difficulties.

The war with Great Britain of 1812 did not seriously affect her; naturally there were occasional stoppages of trade and threats of attack, but nothing came of these beyond exciting in the people that prompt spirit of resistance to force which they have always exhibited.

This condition continued with the exception of the Nullification excitement until the outbreak of the War of Secession.

On 31st March, 1850, the city mourned the loss of South Carolina's greatest statesman, Hon. John C. Calhoun. Every respect was paid to his memory, his remains received with the utmost deference and ceremony, and finally deposited in the churchyard of St. Phillips' Church.

The impression of Charleston on our party was one of solemnity. It being one of the first settlements of the New World, its beautiful old mansions and church houses and its magnificent modern homes in their settings were beautiful to behold. Many of the homes were facing Charleston harbor with Fort Sumpter in the distance, a park with blooming magnolias was in the foreground of these modern homes. King Street is, perhaps, the most noted of all. It was on this street that most of the residences and churches of a century or more ago were built. The homes of the early period in Charleston were built with the end of the house right up to the side walk, with windows that were usually heavily shuttered. The entrance to these homes were through a side gate that led into a yard or garden, then to the porch the full length of the house. Many of these homes were three stories with full length porches for each story. The lawn and garden were to the back and sides of the house with servants quarters to the rear. Tall rock walls with spikes at the top kept intruders out and when the wrought iron gate was closed the family enjoyed all privacy. Magnolia trees as large as ones body and all sorts of flowering shrubs and roses were at their prettiest while we were there.

Down on a side street was the powder magazine built in 1703. This building was covered with tile that plainly showed they were hand made as finger prints were visible. The ammunition for the Colony was kept in this house and issued on orders to those entitled to it.

The one night and day in Charleston was very enjoyable and an entire week could have been profitably spent had we the time.

Leaving Charleston after lunch, we went north to Columbia, the State Capitol, and on to Winnsboro for the night, which we spent at the Fairfield Inn, one of the most splendid hotels of all. Winnsboro is rich in Colonial history, from its occupancy by Lord Cornwallis in 1780, and is tinged with earlier history and tradi-

tions of English Cavaliers, French Huguenots, Scotch Whigs and Covenanters. In this small city were some of the most beautiful homes and gardens seen on the trip. To pass some of the gardens was to breathe the fragrance of the magnolia, the honeysuckle and the jessamine, made us wonder if paradise could be more entrancing. No wonder the Southerner of pre-Civil War days was such a wonder wooer with such surroundings and a sweet girl by his side. Oh, boy!

Winnsboro proper has but a few hundred inhabitants. In recent years capitalists from Massachusetts have erected a textile mill near the old city that employs one thousand people and runs 24 hours. A new city of modern bungalows are clustered about this textile mill, but hasn't the attractive homelike appearance of the old city. Every yard of fabric turned out by this textile mill is used in making United States tires.

From Winnsboro it was not many miles until we entered North Carolina and passed through Mecklinburg County, where the first Declaration of Independence was ratified. The Olivers of Cape Girardeau and Harry Alexander of the same city, point with pride to being from forbears from Mecklinburg.

Charlotte, N. C., was reached for noon lunch, which gave us time to remember Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ross of Sikeston with souvenir cards as Charlotte was their former home. This was a mighty busy city as was Winston-Salem further to the north. Winston-Salem is the center of the great tobacco industry of North Carolina and the largest city in the State. The past few years has given both Carolinas a great boom as manufacturing institutions backed by Northern capital has caused a net work of high tension power lines to be built throughout these States.

Through the Carolinas the many negro homes testified to the thrift of this race. They are farmers on their own land and their homes and surroundings were far ahead of white tenant farmers of Southeast Missouri. Poultry, cows, pigs, orchards and flowers were to be seen about these homes.

Night overtook us 25 miles north of Winston-Salem at a small town in North Carolina. We left this place early in the morning and took breakfast at Roanoke, Va., in the Piedmont Valley of the Old Dominion. Our trip up the Shenandoah Valley of

Virginia will be given in the next issue.

The average liquor expenditure for every non-abstaining family in England last year was \$175.

Each family in the United States uses an average of eighty pounds of soap a year at an approximate cost of ten dollars.

The Burlington, Santa Fe and Northwestern railroads called on Chillicothe Business College last week for telegraphers while similar calls were received from the Western Union for Iowa and Nebraska offices.

RULE FOR DRIVERS

An arm protruding from the car ahead means that the driver is:

1. Knocking ashes off a cigarette.
2. Going to turn to the left.
3. Telling a small boy to shut up, he won't buy any red pop.
4. Going to turn to the right.
5. Pointing out a scenic spot.
6. Going to back up.
7. Feeling for rain.
8. Telling his wife hell, yes, he's sure the kitchen door is locked.
9. Saluting a passing motorist, or going to stop.—Life.

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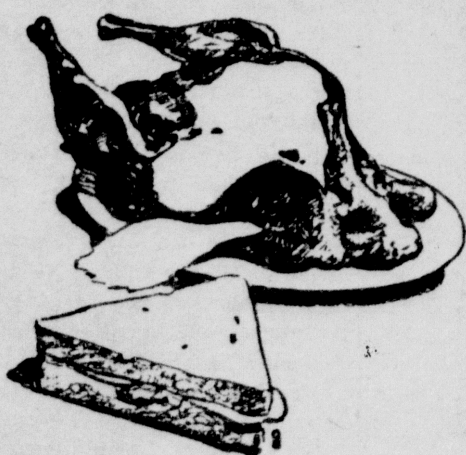
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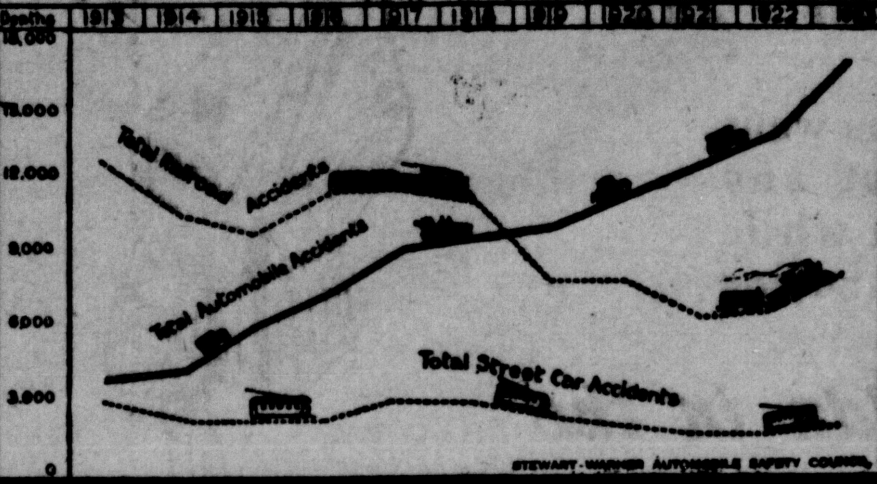
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Auto Tragedies Increase as Other Travel Is Made Safer

AUTOS STILL CLIMBING HILL OF DEATH



WHILE railroad tragedies and street car accidents in the United States have gradually been diminishing in the last ten years, the annual toll exacted by automobile casualties is steadily mounting, says the Stewart-Warner Safety Council for the prevention of automobile accidents. Railroad accidents have been cut more than one-third, or from 12,520 in 1913 to 8,078 in 1923, the latest government figures available. Street car fatalities also have been cut down one-third or from 3,090 in 1913 to 2,006 ten years later. Automobile deaths, on the other hand, have increased over five-fold. Against the 3,822 deaths in 1913 we have 16,462 in 1923, and the score is growing each year.

Care, more care and still more care, is the solution of this national problem. The pedestrian must be always on the alert and as spry as a kangaroo, if he is to keep out of harm's way, and the driver for his part must never relax his vigilance for a moment when human lives are at his mercy.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Hon. Jas. F. Fulbright, Democratic candidate for 14th Congressional District, spent a few hours in New Madrid Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shy are the proud parents of a daughter born to them on Monday, June 14.

X. Caverno and daughter, Miss Ellen, of Canolou were visitors in New Madrid Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hummel and children accompanied by Mrs. Hummel's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Verner of Charleston, motored to New Madrid last Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hummel.

Miss Floy Riggs was taken to St. day.

Mary's Hospital, Cairo, Wednesday to be operated on for appendicitis. Howard Morrison and T. A. Slack of Sikeston were business visitors in New Madrid, Wednesday.

Atty. H. C. Blanton and Mr. Baker of Sikeston were business visitors in New Madrid, Tuesday.

Frank K. Ashby of Charleston spent Monday in our city on business. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. John Vock and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crawford of Parma, accompanied by Rosalee Kerr, Master Welton O'Bannon and Mrs. John Rauh of this city and Mrs. Cora Morrow of Memphis spent Sunday at Charleston bridge on a picnic.

Uncle Hiram Ficklin of Scrubb Ridge was in New Madrid, Monday. C. W. Stevenson of Lilbourn was a business visitor in our city Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie Mitchell had daughter, Mrs. Harry Sharp, accompanied by Mrs. W. S. Edwards spent Sunday visiting friends in Cape Girardeau. E. L. Griffin, cashier of the Bank of Morehouse, was looking after business matters in New Madrid, Tuesday.

Attorney M. G. Gresham of Sikeston made a professional trip to New Madrid, last Friday.

Claude Allen, aged 9 years, 4 mos. and 15 days, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allen, died at his home in Matthews Tuesday afternoon, June 15, after an illness of four weeks. Funeral services were held at the family residence Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock by the Methodist minister, Rev. C. C. Bone. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery. Mr. Allen will be remembered as having lived in New Madrid several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simmons entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club with a night party, with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bock, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Diggins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sharp, Richard Pikey and Misses Lillian and Colombe Dawson. The ladies' prize, a bottle of perfume, went to Miss Colombe Dawson, for her proficient playing and C. C. Bock was winner of the gentlemen's prize, a pair of socks and a necktie. After the game, a most delightful salad luncheon was served.

Mrs. "Shorty" Lipe of Parma was injured in an automobile collision last Saturday night, a short distance from town. Mrs. Lipe was in company with some parties from Parma and collided with a car of people from Farrenberg.

Mrs. James A. Finch and son Lehman and daughter, Miss Catherine, went to Cape Girardeau last Monday to spend several days.

Miss Hattie Lewis and aunt "Tish" Lewis are in Sikeston, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkes. Mrs. Wilkes will be remembered as Miss Agat LaForge.

Mrs. F. M. Robbins was taken to St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau for an operation for parotitis abscess.

Little Miss Janet Blackledge of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, was the guest of Lillian Gail Applegate Monday and Tuesday.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Misses Frankie and Alice Deane, Verna King, Mrs. Roy Alsop, John Sells, and Donald Story, who are attending school in Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end at home with their parents.

Mrs. Clarence Hunott is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Thos. Holderby and Bill Shibley were Sikeston visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Steele and sons were Sikeston visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Alfred Gossett and little daughter returned from a week's visit in St. Louis with relatives.

Miss Irene Sutton spent Sunday with Miss Lillith Deane.

We are glad to report Mrs. Bixter is improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lumsden and sons motored to Canolou Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Homer Lancaster was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King motored to Cape Girardeau Sunday to take their daughter, Miss Verna, back to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Mitchell and little daughter and niece, Mildred of Hayti spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane.

The Matthews baseball team went to Catron Sunday to play a game.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Taylor is very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sutton and little daughter and Mrs. Bess Fulkerson of Sikeston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Reed.

M. H. Sutton and daughter, Miss Irene, were in Sikeston Saturday.

Mrs. G. D. Steele and Mrs. Albert Deane motored to Sikeston Monday afternoon to take Mrs. Deane's little daughter to the doctor. It was feared the little one had blood poison in her foot.

Ellis Reed and Kline Hope of Pocatons spent Sunday in Matthews, the guests of the Misses Whitten.

Miss Vanita Hicks left Sunday for Cape Girardeau, where she will enroll for the summer term at the Teachers College, there.

Mrs. Aubrey Lurmit and children returned to their home in New Madrid, Monday, after spending several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Deane.

We are beginning to feel important again, when we go on the streets with our old gray bonnet on, some nicely dressed fellow (we use to know) calls us by our first name and shakes hands with us, asks how we are getting along and then hands us a card. He is either a candidate or has a friend, who he is interested in. Oh well, it's nice to be remembered every two or four years.

Grandmother Mainord of New Madrid was in Matthews Tuesday.

SIKESTON STILL BATTING 320 DESPITE SUNDAY'S DEFEAT

Although Donnel humiliated many of Sikeston's sluggers Sunday, the Club average is that of last week, .320. Haman continues to set the pace for the Club and the League, the husky first sacker getting three safeties out of four trips to the plate Sunday, swelling his average to .555. Dudley boosted his average to .400, but the majority of the team fared rather poorly. The averages:

Player	AB	H	%
Dowdy	27	7	.259
Dudley	25	10	.400
Crain	24	7	.291
Haman	27	15	.555
Burris	27	9	.333
Finn	26	6	.231
Mow	19	6	.317
B. Crain	14	3	.214
Martin	21	5	.238
Cooper	3	1	.333
Burger	21	1	.500

If Sikeston defeats Dexter in the protest game, the local Club will be safely in the lead by two games. If they lose, however, Dexter will share honors with the Bulldogs, each Club then having five wins and two defeats on their record. The League standing at present (Sikeston being credited with the victory):

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sikeston	6	1	.857
Dexter	4	3	.571
Poplar Bluff	2	5	.285
Doniphan	2	5	.285

If Dexter wins the standing will be as follows:

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sikeston	5	2	.715
Dexter	5	2	.715
Poplar Bluff	2	5	.285
Doniphan	2	5	.285

Misses Maud Adams, Kate Moccabee and Mrs. Mary Shoulders of Morehouse were shopping in Sikeston, Wednesday.

Maj. Harry Dudley of the Missouri National Guard and Sergeant Jackson spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Doniphan checking over the new equipment which Company I of that city has just received from the government.

REORGANIZATION SALE

We have decided to adopt the Montgomery Ward idea and sell for a small profit. To convince you we are offering in connection with our sale the following specials:

Opening Day Special
Turkish Towels, 30x36
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Monday Special
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Ladies \$1.50 Chiffon Hose
79c

Saturday Special
10 bars Big 4 Soap, 33c
Mavis Talcum, 2 boxes, 30c

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

New Madrid, Mo., June 15.—Attorney George H. Traylor has been appointed special Deputy Finance Commissioner by the State Finance Department to liquidate the Bertrand State Bank, which was closed on May 17. The bank has resources totaling \$63,000.

Traylor, two weeks ago, was appointed to take charge of the Bragg City Bank in Pemiscot County, which has resources totaling \$50,000.

Cape Girardeau, June 15.—James Muskowitz, 17, and Elmer McKee, 19, who said their homes are in St. Louis, were sentenced to four years in the reformatory in circuit court today for the burglary of a store six weeks ago.

New Madrid June 15.—Rev. J. Murray Taylor, Christian evangelist of Memphis, Tenn., who is conducting the revival being held at the Kewanee School, was in New Madrid this week. The revival began last Sunday and he reports a great deal of interest in the meeting, with good audiences each evening. The revival will continue for two weeks longer.

Caruthersville, June 15.—Floyd Terrell, 19 years old, son of a farmer living near here, was killed by lightning while working in his father's cotton fields. A negro, while seeking shelter from the electrical storm, was injured badly when a small house collapsed.

Benton, June 15.—Five hundred people were here Sunday night for the services of the Billy Sunday Club of Cape Girardeau. Talks were given by Attorney B. C. Hardesty, Superintendent of Schools J. T. White, T. J. Tallent and Attorney Russell Dearnont. The ladies of the Methodist Church served supper to about 100 Cape Girardeau people, including the members of the club.

Cape Girardeau, June 15.—Plans for a double roadway between Cape Girardeau and Jackson, a distance of ten miles, were approved at a meeting today of commissioners of the special road district with state highway engineers.

Right-of-way is now being secured for the road, which is to be a section of State Highway No. 9.

It is planned to secure a tract of 200 feet in width the entire distance between the towns. The state will lay one slab of concrete now and possibly another section at a later date. It is planned to have two drives of at least 50 feet each, with parkways planted to shrubbery.

TO SERVE AS INSTRUCTORS NAT. GIRLS' SUMMER CAMP

Miss Emma Moorehead, Woman's Athletic Director at Sikeston High School, and Miss Helen Hess, will leave June 28 for Three Lakes, Wisconsin, where they will act as instructors at Camp Idlewild, a girls' summer camp.

The camp will last through an 8-weeks' term and the young ladies will assist with the instruction in swimming, music and outdoor sports.

Mrs. Emma Kendall and Mrs. Wallace Applegate and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Commerce with relatives.

SCOUTS LEFT FOR CAMP SEMO THURSDAY

Twelve Scouts from Troops 1 and six from Troop 2, left early Thursday morning for Camp Semo, district camp for the Boy Scouts of the Cape-Miss-Scott Area. Troop 1 was accompanied by Wendel Ensor, Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop 2 by Rev. E. B. Hensley, Scoutmaster.

Camp Semo is located at White Springs, six miles southeast of Fredericktown on the Marquand road. The camp is easily accessible by road, taking No. 9 to Fredericktown and then back six miles on the Marquand road to the Scout sign. It is also conveniently reached by railroad being three miles from the Missouri Pacific branch at Cornwall.

Troop 2 left at seven Thursday morning driving to camp with Rev. Hensley. Troop 1 went partly by railroad and partly by car, Messrs. Tanner and Paine taking a number of the Scouts in their cars. The remainder left on the train at 8:45 with Assistant Scoutmaster Ensor and reached Cornwall at 11 o'clock. From Cornwall they hiked the three miles to camp, a truck taking their duffel bags.

The camp will last one week and during that time all of the Scouts hope to advance at least one degree in Scouting. An intensive program has been worked out which, while providing ample play and recreation, at the same time, will be of instructive value to the boys.

To encourage the boys to do their best work and be on their mettle at all times, a system of awards has been worked out in the following: Tent inspection, All-round camper, Camp goat, Winner stunt night, table inspection, Morning dip, Life guard, Merit badges Hiking, Over-night hike, first class requirements, second class requirements, Most belt honors, Approved construction, Officer of the day, Orderly, Camp fatigue, etc.

Visitors will be welcome at Camp Semo on Sundays and each week day from 4:00 to 9:00 p. m. and all parents are especially invited to attend the camp at least once during the period.

The following Scouts made the trip:

TROOP 1—Gordon Blanton, Charles Prow, Frank Hardin Smith, Kendall Sikes, Lyman Mitchell, Harold Paine, Billy Tanner, Billy Fox, Woodrow Fitzgerald, Jack Fitzgerald, J. W. Jones Jr., Ernest Robertson and Assistant Scoutmaster, Ensor.

TROOPS 2—Ralph Bailey, Conley Purcell, Robert Mow, Harrison Tanner, Ewing Hensley, Walter McGee and Scoutmaster Hensley.

Rev. Hensley will return to Sikeston Saturday night in order to conduct services at his church on Sunday. He will return to camp Monday. Troop 3 is planning to attend the camp the last period, June 24 to July 1.

Mrs. John Healy and daughter, Miss Gladys, were called to Morehouse Tuesday on account of a sister of Mrs. Healy's being very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dudley will entertain with a dinner party tonight (Thursday) in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Ardo Dee Anderson of California.

Sam Potashnick, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Vick, Mrs. John Malone and Mr. Van Arsdale were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Albright, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ray Smith spent Sunday in Cape Girardeau.

Miss Lillie Crutchfield spent Tuesday evening visiting in McMullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ferrell and Miss Eva Newton spent Sunday in Benton and Blodgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Higgins and son of Dearthmont, Ark., arrived Tuesday for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Higgins.

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ing the Federal Census. Then we presented the claims of Skeston over Caruthersville and West Plains, both in this Congressional District, and both with Skeston have a post-office site purchased in 1914, above the other places because Skeston postal receipts were more than \$26,000 in 1925, while those of Caruthersville were \$23,000 and of West Plains, \$20,000. These figures were official from the Post Office Department, and gotten while we were in that city. Another claim for Skeston was the crossing of two National Highways and our growth the past two years and our prospective growth. It was in response to a telegram sent from Washington by the editor to the Chamber of Commerce that caused the recent census of this city. These facts were all placed before Mr. Wetmore and we feel pretty confident when the time arrives to locate the two rural buildings in Missouri, Skeston will get one of them. We talked against no city, but for our own home town. Mr. Bailey, our Congressman, was not present at these meetings, but we feel confident that if asked about the matter by the Architect, he will endorse our course.

Harry B. Hawes, candidate for Senator on the Democratic ticket, has stated his position on the wet and dry question. He is in favor of modifying the Volstead Act to permit light wines and beer in order to keep down lawlessness. He is likewise against the 18th Amendment, but that is a law and will never be repealed. The Standard is glad to note his stand on the question that some people are trying to make an issue of. Light wines and beer will do away with much of the moonshining throughout the country and until some modification is made, law and order along the enforcement line is a joke. The dries have committed more crimes in the name of the law than have the wets who believe they have the constitutional right to eat and drink anything they please. This right was arbitrarily taken away from them without their consent.

Joe L. Moore of Commerce is a candidate for Probate Judge of Scott County on the Democratic ticket. He is not a stranger in our county as he was born and raised here. He was prosecuting attorney of the county during the 90s and during that time never had an indictment quashed and was never absent from court. He was one of the commissioners who put through the St. Johns Drainage Project that meant so much to that section. He devoted 25 years of his life to opening and developing land in Southeast Missouri. He asks your consideration at the polls.

A clear conscience while on earth beats an uncertain hereafter. The man who uses the Golden Rule to measure his actions toward his fellow man need have no fear of what is to follow after death and will be better content while alive.

If ever a country needed a hard-boiled Dictator that country is France at the present time. A bunch of half anarchists block every move that might help that country during her troublesome times.

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THAD SNOW DISCUSSES
THE FARMER'S PROBLEMS

I am a farmer. I love to farm. I want no other occupation in life.

I believe that American ideals, American wholesomeness and tolerance of opinion and constructive American statesmanship depend now, as tradition has taught us always to believe, upon a prosperous and contented home-owning farmer citizenship.

We do not now have such a citizenship. Farmers of the Middle West and South are distressed, harassed by debt and largely bankrupt.

Their financial disaster and mental distress and revolt are not due to temporary or accidental causes.

The steady decline in agriculture is not explained by unwise farming practices.

The decline is not going to be checked by any change in cropping systems.

Co-operative marketing is merely a step in the right direction. But it can be only a short step and a slow step until positive changes are made in our economic structure.

Our thinking upon the so-called "farm problem" has been vague and unsatisfactory until recently. We have felt the weight of forces we could scarcely comprehend. But we have been forced to the conviction that the weight and cost of the American protective system falls almost entirely upon agriculture, while its benefits are enjoyed by industry, transportation, finance and labor. We observe that the protective system with the tariff as its starting point, has extended through transportation laws, labor and immigration laws, and through banking laws, until it has embraced our industrial interests. It has extended through state laws even to the protection of our public service utilities which serve our towns with light and power. Even the production of ice may be said to be graciously protected by the American protective system.

We see with increasing clearness that we buy in a protected and sell in an unprotected market, to our serious and increasing disadvantage.

Two years ago the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, which was defeated in Congress, represented our first efforts to bring into effect an American Agricultural Policy, which should stand alone side our American Industrial, Financial, Transportation and Labor policies.

The bill was beaten. It was based on the false assumption that an average of prices on staple farm products over a certain period before the great war, was an equitable and profitable price, which should be maintained by certain governmental machinery set up in the law.

I was against the bill then and would be more strongly against a like bill now.

No one expects a perfect farm bill in the beginning. What we expect is a start in the right direction in the great task of building an American Agricultural Policy.

I believe the Haugen bill, which was recently defeated in the lower house, would have made a safe start in the right direction. Whether a similar bill now before the Senate will have better success will be determined soon.

An analysis upon the recent vote upon the Haugen bill indicates clearly that the industrial East still demands cheap food and raw materials, regardless of the pauperization of the Agricultural Mid-West.

The industrial East formerly believed that its life depended upon cheap labor, just as it now believes that it must have cheap food and raw materials.

Union labor forced a high industrial wage scale. Now the whole country knows that the present prosperity of industry is made possible by the buying power of highly paid

industrial labor. Union labor has taught industry to like high wages. This is the greatest change in the economic thought that we have witnessed in our lifetime.

No greater change will take place when industrial capital awakens to the fact that buying power must also be extended to agriculture.

The leadership of Union Labor is drinking more clearly on the farm problem than that of industrial capital. Matthew Woll, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, states that he believes a constructive plan of farm relief is imperative. He holds that a plan such as the Haugen bill would add far less to the cost of living than would be added if farmers are forced to continue on the fringe of bankruptcy.

We have an American Industrial Policy, which guards jealously the American scale of living for the workers in industry.

I believe that American civilization, American ingenuity and statesmanship, can devise the means to elevate American agriculture to the American scale of living. It is a task which should have the united support of all classes.

But farmer thought and farmer thinkers must lead the way.

To be given an active part in the fight for the Reconstruction of American Agriculture is the highest honor that can come to a farmer of this day and time.

When Persian women walk abroad at night a servant carrying a primitive lantern precedes them through the unlighted streets, just as was done in medieval times.

So low are army salaries in France that officers in crack cavalry regiments and professors of the War College are working at menial labor to augment their income. Many are in dire want.

More than five hundred former students now in good office positions will meet in Swope Park, Kansas City next Sunday for the Sixth Annual Picnic and Reunion of the Chillicothe Business College alumni.

Ditch diggers, factory hands, clerks and stenographers of Leninograd eat their meals from the tableware of the former Czar when they go on their frequent vacations to the "Workers' Sanatoria", established by the government.



"Long Ben," Hero of a Play

NEXT to Captain Kidd, perhaps no other pirate leader ever caught the popular fancy so much as Capt. John Avery, alias Henry Every, alias Captain Bridgeman, variously known as "Long Ben," and the "Arch-Pirate." A large part of this was due, no doubt, to the fact that he was the hero of Charles Johnson's play called "The Successful Pirate," which was acted at the Theater Royal in Drury Lane.

Avery was born about 1685, the son of a Plymouth innkeeper, and from the beginning he had a turbulent career. As a youth he shipped as a cabin boy and soon proved himself an accomplished young desperado. He first came into prominence as first officer on an armed privateer, The Duke, whose commander, Captain Gibson, the Spaniards had engaged to fight French pirates in the West Indies. Avery led a mutiny on board the ship while it lay at anchor in Cadiz harbor, put the captain ashore and was himself elected captain. Then he renamed the vessel the Charles the Second and set out.

At the Isle of May he seized the Portuguese governor and held him for ransom until a supply of provisions were sent aboard; then he sailed away to the coast of Guinea to engage in the slave trade, capturing two or three English vessels en route. Near the Island of Princess he captured two Danish ships, and then set out for Madagascar, from which base he operated in the Red sea.

At Aden Avery's ship was joined by two English private ships and three from America, all bent upon the same quest. An incident which took place a short time before this was typical of Avery's capacity for devilry in general. He had sailed into the harbor of a town named Meat with the intention of selling some of his stolen merchandise to the natives. But they were suspicious of Avery's villainous looking "traders" and refused to do any business with them. In order to punish them the pirates burnt their town.

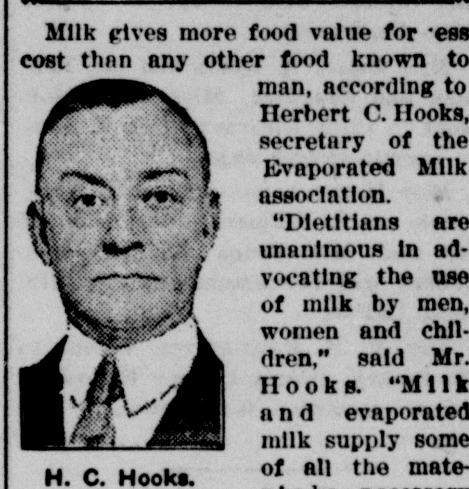
Although the pirate ships kept a vigilant watch for the Mocha fleet it managed to elude the freebooters in the night. But Avery was hot in pursuit the next morning and, singling out the biggest vessel, captured it after a two-hour battle. It turned out to be the Gunsway, owned by the Great Mogul himself, and one of his daughters was aboard. From this ship the pirates took a vast loot—100,000 pieces of eight and the same number of chequins. The Great Mogul was furious at this outrage and indifferent as to whether innocent or guilty should pay for it, threatened to lay waste to all the East India company's settlements in revenge. Whether or not he made good on his threat is not recorded, but he never made Avery suffer for it.

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"By some authorities milk is said to be an aid in longevity. Dr. Herman Bundesen, health commissioner for Chicago, gives his prescription for long life as follows: Drink one quart of milk a day and mix with one hour of sunshine. Repeat ad infinitum."

"Due to the efforts of health officials to get across to the public the message of milk, its general use in the United States has advanced tremendously in the last decade. This is especially true of evaporated milk for reasons of its convenience and economy. Housewives know there is no fear of obtaining contaminated evaporated milk, because it is not only the best grade of market milk rendered double-rich by dehydrating, but it is sterilized as well."

Happy Wedlock
Sure Thing If
Bride Is Cook

By KATHRYN ST. JOHN

Haphazard meals yearly ruin thousands of marriages. Most marital ships would maintain an even keel if brides knew cooking.

Many of the first year's troubles between newlyweds would be avoided if the wife were capable of preparing foods with an experienced hand. Wives are to blame for the failure of many business men in the final analysis. The business man's health depends a great deal on what he eats. And it's up to his wife to see that he gets the right kind of food. A healthfully balanced diet goes a long way toward making the tired business man less fatigued.

The expert home manager sees to it that her husband never comes home to a delicatessen lunch. There is a carefully planned meal waiting for him. The real housewife knows that an unbalanced diet means trouble and avoids it. Likewise she appreciates

the fact that variation in her menus is important. In this connection the following recipes have been selected as an aid to the home manager:

Frozen Salad.

1/2 cup mayonnaise 1/2 cup candied dressing cherries
1/2 cup diced pine- 1/2 cup diced bananas
4 tbsp. pineapple 2 tbsp. lemon juice
1/2 cup cream 1/2 cup evaporated milk
Mix the fruit and juices. Combine milk and cream, chill and whip; then fold in the fruit and mayonnaise. Pour into a mold and pack in equal parts of salt and ice. Serve on lettuce leaves. This serves eight.

Orange Bavarian.

1 tbsp. gelatin 1-3 cup evaporated milk
1/2 cup cold water 1/2 cup whipping cream
1 cup orange juice 1-3 cup whipping cream
1/2 cup lemon juice 1/2 cup evaporated milk
1/4 tsp. salt 1/2 cup sugar
Soak gelatin in cold water, add fruit juices, sugar and salt. Heat in the top of a double boiler until gelatin dissolves. Strain and set in pan of cold water. When mixture begins to set, fold in the evaporated milk and cream which have been beaten stiff.

Banana Ice Cream.

6 very ripe bananas 2 cups evaporated milk
1/2 cup lemon juice 2 cups cream
2 1/4 cups sugar 1/4 tsp. salt
Scrape off adhering fibrous portion on surface of peeled bananas. Mash and rub through a sieve. Add the rest of the ingredients in the order given and stir until all are well blended. Let stand for 20 minutes so that all sugar may dissolve. Freeze in a 1 to 6 salt-ice mixture. This recipe makes 1/2 gallon cream.

Ivan Randolph and Joe Albright left Monday for Detroit, Mich., where they expect to obtain employment for the summer.

Moose tallow was recently used for motor oil in an airplane operated in Alaska. The aviator obtained the tallow from a trapper, melted it, and poured it into his engine with satisfactory results.



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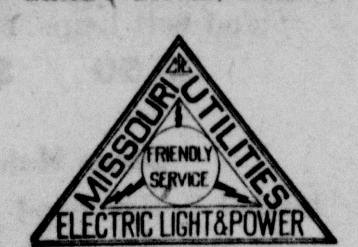
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CORRESPONDENCE FROM MOREHOUSE

Ross Wooten and John Parrish returned Sunday from Reeves and Deering, Mo., where they have been on business for several days.

Yank Twitty has bought and moved into the house formerly occupied by A. M. Simmons and family.

Mrs. Kate Pratt of Sikeston visited her sister, Mrs. Mandy Holder last Friday.

Curtis Watson and Clarence Adams of Canolou were here Saturday visiting friends.

Loren Bradshaw was struck by a Ford coupe driven by two strange men, on the gravel road north of town Saturday night and knocked down and bruised considerably. The driver of the car did not stop and the boy was picked up by another passing car and taken to town, where they found his injuries were not serious.

Mrs. W. R. Griffin and Miss Hattie Harp were in Charleston Saturday evening visiting their brother, Otto Harp and family.

Mrs. Brance McFarling and little daughters of Cairo spent the day in this city visiting her sister, Mrs. W. O. Mason, Thursday.

Misses Hazel Adams, Louise Moffit and Mrs. Moody of Canolou were here Saturday having dentist work done.

Mrs. Wm. Grossman of Jackson has been visiting her daughter Mrs. W. O. Mason and son, Wm. Grossman, Jr.

The Morehouse baseball team was defeated by Ilmo Sunday, after dropping six runs in the first two innings. The final score was 9 to 6. A very unusual thing occurred when with Morehouse at bat, three balls were pitched, three balls hit and three outs made.

A Ford truck picked up on the road by the marshals son, Libbourn Headlee, some weeks since was claimed by Mr. Freeman of Sikeston last Sunday. The car had been stolen while

the occupants were in church. The thieves have not yet been apprehended.

MANY ATTRACTIONS FOR S. E. MISSOURI DAY

Walter Jenkins, nationally known song leader of Memphis, Tenn., will be one of the big features on the program for Southeast Missouri Day at Benton, June 24. Many will remember Mr. Jenkins as one of the song leaders during the Sunday meetings at Cape Girardeau. With Mr. Jenkins on the job, there will be plenty of music and pop.

In addition to the music, the committee is arranging for a very strong program, dealing with subjects vital to the future development of this section of Missouri. While all of the speakers cannot be announced at this time, the program will be as follows:

The Agricultural Development of Southeast Missouri—John A. Montgomery, Dexter.

Co-operation between Towns and Cities—Speaker to be announced.

Selling Southeast Missouri to the Tourist—Speaker to be announced.

Organizing Southeast Missouri for Action—Dwight H. Brown, Poplar Bluff.

Putting Action into Organization—Roy L. Rauschkolb, Development Secretary, St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

Benton is planning a big picnic dinner and advance reports indicate a large representation of business and professional men on this day. Tickets should be secured at once.

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The name of the famous bridge path, "Rotten Row", in Hyde Park, London, is believed to be a corruption from the French Route du Roi (King's Drive).

A Chicago boy, hailed into court on a disorderly conduct charge, was sentenced by the judge to read good books. The sentence was carried out under supervision of a court official.

EASTERN STAR TO PRESENT PLAY

The Order of Eastern Star will present "The Flapper Granmother", a copyrighted home-talent musical comedy, in the High School gymnasium Friday, June 18, at 8:15 p. m. The play is directed by Miss Anne Lee Dyer of the Wayne P. Sewell Co., Atlanta, Ga., Miss Sara Malone being the accompanist.

A curtain raiser novelty, "An Automobile Romance", presenting Virginia Freeman, Jimmy Skillman and the chorus girls opens the play, which is in three acts as follows:

ACT I—Living room at Spriggins' home.

ACT II—Bargain sale at Spriggins' store.

ACT III—Welcome home Grandma.

The Cast—
Andrew Spriggins...Jas. Wiggensstein
Neat Spriggins...Ellen DeBois
Lena Spriggins...Virginia Freeman
Belindy Spriggins...Louise Shields
Maggie Pepper, "The Flapper Granma"...Barbara Beck
Dr. Joy...Lyman Fox
Dick Tate...David Blanton
Jimmy Smith...Jimmy Skillman
Count Seekem Rich

Warren Kingsbury
Rastus...James McClellan
Lilly...Herschel Tyer
Edith...Wootsen Inez Hollingsworth
Elf...Anne Beck
"Debutantes Flappers": Lucille Stubblefield, Louise Stubblefield, Burdine Schreff, Glenda Montgomery, Margaret Clymer, Edna Mount, Mildred Christian, Lola Dempster.

"Jelly Beans": Spencer Black, Jimmy Howell, Mort Griffith, Harold Pitman.

"Matrons": Mesdames Edith Blanton, Rivers Tanner, Hallie Lindsay, Mary Johnson, Dorothy Laughlin, Eva Mow, Ruth Limbaugh and Miss Evelyn Sutton.

"Rag Dolls": Mary Jane Sikes, Melba Ruth Hollingsworth, Nana Lee Myers, Shirley Jane Sayers, Mary Louise Montgomery, Frances Bowman, Esther Jane Greer, Katherine Anne Cook.

"Maggie Chorus": Nana Belle Wilson, Mary Emma Powell, Emily Blanton, Margaret Mitchell, Mary Lou McCoy, Wootsen Hollingsworth, Ruth Ward Powell, Marjorie Mow.

"Door Knobs": Virginia Mount, Nana Belle Wilson, Mary Tanner, Marjorie Mow, Freeda Sanford, Hazel Young, Wootsen Inez Hollingsworth, Carrie Nelle Mount.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Miss Sara Campbell surprised her many New Madrid friends Saturday by announcing her marriage to Wm. Weston Sherwood, Jr. The wedding took place at Alton, Mo., the ceremony being performed by Enoch Bailey, Probate Judge of Oregon County.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Campbell of this city, a very charming young lady of pleasing personality and quite a favorite in the social set.

The groom is the only son of Weston Sherwood of this city and Mrs. Rex Roberts of Denver, Colo. A high school graduate of New Madrid, 1926 possessing many attainment of high character. The young people will live at Salina, Kansas.

This is the third secret marriage in the Campbell family within a year. Harry Campbell and Miss La Rue Townsend were married at Poplar Bluff, June 27, 1925; Thad E. Campbell and Miss Camille Atkins were married at Bloomfield, March 9, 1926.

M. F. Ehlers has severed his official capacity as President of the Commercial Trust Co. of this city. His resignation is due to illness of his wife, she having to reside in a higher altitude. Mr. Ehlers has been a very progressive citizen in town for the past ten years and the community regrets to lose him.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Commercial Trust Co., F. M. Robbins was elected President to fill the vacancy left by M. F. Ehlers. Mr. Robbins has been a director for many years and is thoroughly acquainted with the banking business.

Misses Lady Lewis and Harriett Hunter returned Friday from St. Louis, where they have been attending Visitation Academy.

Mrs. M. V. Francis has rented the residence of W. D. Knott on Waters Street for the summer.

Misses Lucille and Virginia Francis returned to New Madrid by way of St. Louis, from New York City. Lucille completed her third year in the school and Miss Virginia her first year. In addition to their academic work, both young ladies completed a course in music at Ithaca Conservatory and the Williams School of Fine Arts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Knott left on Friday for Blytheville, Ark., where Mr. Knott has a contract for road work. Mrs. Knott will spend the summer in South Bend, Ind., with her daughter, Mrs. Harold Shaffer.

J. E. Hert and Dora Hert to W. B. Roach: Lots 3 and 4 blk. 5 Griffith's Add. to Canolou, \$1,000.

W. B. Roach and Emma E. Roach to A. L. Mayfield: Lots 3 and 4 blk. 5, Griffith's Add. Canolou. \$1.00 and exchange of property.

Frank Pearson to L. E. Blue: SE¼ of SE¼ and all NW¼ and the W¼ of NE¼ 10-23-15, 280 acres. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Olive W. Bess and J. W. Bess to G. W. (Son) Rone and Dora K. Rone: Lots 13 and 14 blk. 36 DeLisle 1st add. Portageville \$2000.

Oscar Fuller and Cora Fuller to Will Knight Letner: N¼ lots 6, 7 and 8, blk. 41 DeLisle 2nd add. Portageville, \$2500.

Will Knight Letner to Nelle Meatt, same, \$2500.

Lenora Brown to Jas. L. Arnold: 164.93 acres in sections 9 and 10, twp. 25, range 13. \$20,616.25.

Clyde K. Richards and Viola Catherine Richards to W. A. Calhoun: 113.06 acres land in sec. 32 and 33, twp. 24, range 13. \$6000.

John S. Kochitzky to Jennie B. Kochitzky: 335 acres 15-23-13. \$5,700.

Myrtle Workman to James A. Workman: Lot 5 and 15 ft. off S. side of lot 8, blk. 22 Gideon. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Marriage License

Robert N. Young, Lilbourn and Cecilia Garner, Parma.

Henry Brown and Ellen Kellum, both of Gideon.

Jack Fletcher Murphy and Violet Colvin, both of Marston.

Luther Tackett and Celess Clark, both of Cape Girardeau.

ST. LOUIS MAN PUTTING OUT PEACH ORCHARD

M. Schenberg, president of the Schenberg's Markets, St. Louis, was in Sikeston, Monday. While here, he entered his subscription to The Standard and visited the office.

Mr. Schenberg was in Southeast Missouri to see about the new orchard he is setting out near Blodgett. It is to be a 125-acre peach orchard and will contain 10,000 trees. Mr. Schenberg believes this section has a great future in store for it, as a fruit growing and marketing district.

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MISSOURI INDUSTRIAL REVIEW NEWS

Boonville—Presbyterian church to enlarge building.

Chillicothe—New city hall being erected here.

Columbia—New hotel proposed for this city.

Versailles—Shoe factory to be established in this town.

Jamesport—Right of way on Route 6, between Trenton and Jamesport, will be widened to 60 feet.

Carthage—Business streets to be resurfaced.

Trenton—Marland Refining Company to erect wholesale plant here.

Kirksville—South Elson Street to be paved.

Kansas City—Two State highways out of Kansas City, will be opened soon.

Independence—Bids opened for paving east and west road to Kansas City.

Slater—Contract let for graveling road east of here.

Slater—New post office proposed for this city.

Caruthersville—Main streets of city to be repaired.

Stockton—Co-operative Cheese Factory will begin operations here.

Marshall—Work started on Highway No. 3, between Marshall and Sedalia.

Elm—Caterpillar tractor and big grader purchased by town.

Mexico—Contract let for alterations at Garfield school.

Kansas City—Permit issued to Missouri Hydro-Electric Power Company for power development on Current River in Missouri.

Palmyra—Work started on new Hannibal-Palmyra State road.

Marshfield—Work started on new reservoir for Marshfield water system.

Palmyra—Block on Lafayette St., between Main and Lane Streets to be graveled.

Gower—Santa Fe station repainted.

Bethany—Plans made for building hard-surfaced roadways in cemeteries.

Butler—Butler Telephone Company laying three-inch steel pipe to carry telephone cables.

Lamar—Square in Lamar to be paved.

Kirksville—New sidewalk being laid in front of Kirksville Savings Bank.

Grant City—Driveway to Grant City Cemetery to be paved.

Garden City—Mainard & Sons erecting new garage at Drexel.

Boonville—Paving started on Highway No. 2 between Moore's Switch and bridge on Perche Creek.

Green City—Work started, on new high school building.

Boonville—New electric fire siren installed.

Mt. Washington—Site chosen for erection of new fire station.

Pacific—Hardstone Brick & Tile Company constructing new factory building here.

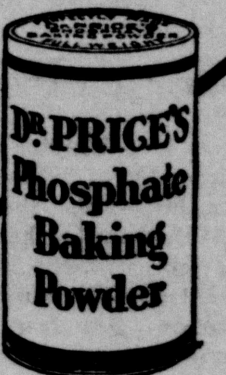
Canton—Contract awarded for erection of new gymnasium and auditorium.

IMPROVEMENTS FOR STANDARD OIL COMPANY

The Standard Oil station at the corner of Kingshighway and Center Streets has been making some improvements this week. The wires carrying the electricity to the lights on the signs at the corners of the station have been placed in a cable and run underground. This was done to safeguard the patrons of the station. The free air crane was in such a position that in using it, it

rubbed against the electric wires and there was the possibility of it rubbing the insulation off and carrying the current down the crane, giving the customer a shock. This danger is eliminated now that the wires have been placed underground.

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LIONS CLUB TO HOLD
LUNCHEON AT BENTON

The Lions Club voted at their luncheon Thursday to hold their next luncheon at Benton inasmuch as next Thursday is the date set for Southeast Missouri Day at that place. The Lions plan to take in the meeting in a body and then have their luncheon together at Benton. This action will assure Sikeston of having an excellent representation at this affair, which promises to be one of the largest in the history of Southeast Missouri.

The Weekly Derby Pool, which had mounted up to the sum of \$12 due to the failure of the winners to be present at previous luncheons, was won by Lynn Stallcup, who immediately presented it to the Club to apply to the fund which they are raising for the establishment of a State Institute for the Blind.

A feature of the luncheon Thursday was the entertainment furnished by the chorus of the Eastern Star play, "The Flapper Grandmother". The choruses were handsomely costumed and their song and dance numbers were very attractive and much appreciated by the Club.

MRS. MURRAY PHILLIPS
CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

The condition of Mrs. Murray Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., of this city, continues to improve. Mrs. Phillips was injured in an automobile accident last Friday night has been in the hospital at Cape Girardeau and following an operation has shown continual improvement, which her many friends will rejoice at hearing. According to word received here Thursday, she was very much better and had no fever.

WORK ON HIGHWAY NO. 16
IS SPEEDING ALONG

The Rouse Construction Company, that has the contract for the paving of No. 16 between Sikeston and Dexter, have in the past week extended the eighteen foot concrete slab as far as Brown Spur station, or almost two-thirds of the distance between Sikeston and Morehouse. They are working towards Sikeston.

SIKESTON TO HAVE
A NEW DENTIST

Dr. Dean of Portageville has been in Sikeston this week preparatory to establishing a dental office. Dr. Dean has had a good following and comes to Sikeston well recommended. He will have his office in the Sexton Building.

CARY MAE WATKINS

Mrs. Cary Mae Watkins died Wednesday, June 16, of tuberculosis at the age of thirty-five. She was born June 16, 1891, dying on her birthday. Funeral services were held at the Matthews Methodist Church at 2:00 p. m., Thursday, Rev. Hardin officiating. Interment in the Sikeston cemetery.

Mrs. Watkins was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Vaughn of Matthews and the wife of Ed L. Watkins. The Watkins were formerly of Sikeston, moving to Matthews about a year ago. Besides the husband, four children survive. Mrs. Watkins was a woman who was well loved by all and The Standard joins the many friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

Miss Anita Winchester has accepted a position, during the summer, with The Sikeston Herald.

Mrs. Arthur Lynn and children of Charleston, Mrs. J. O. Bebout and child of Bertrand and Miss Cecil Hoover of Cape Girardeau visited Mrs. G. J. Layton, Monday.

Alvin Taylor and F. L. Pittman advanced to the second round of the Golf Tournament conducted by the Sikeston Country Club by virtue of victories over Lynn Stallcup and Ed Coleman, respectively. Seven others have gone into the second round of play by default, these being: H. A. Smith from R. E. Bailey, S. W. Applegate from C. Marvin McMullin, Chester Limbaugh from H. A. Hill, Harris Draughan from Dr. Traubitz, C. L. Blanton, Jr., from Sam Brady, J. P. Whidden from P. M. Gervig, B. V. Forrester from C. C. Scott.



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MERRY DANCE CLUB ENTERTAINED AT CAPE GIRARDEAU

Mr. and Mrs. Byrne Sands and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hutters acted as hosts and hostesses to the Merry Dance Club on Monday night, entertaining them at the Cape Girardeau Country Club.

The evening was cool, the orchestra hot, and so a delightful evening was spent in dancing. During the evening, a number of novelty favors such as balloon squawkers, caps, serpentine and confetti were passed out, adding to the gaiety of the affair. At ten o'clock a grand march was formed and after it wound about the dance floor a number of times, the guests were led into the spacious dining room, where they were served with fresh baked ham sandwiches, pickles and varied drinks.

After the intermission, as the dancing was resumed, a large papier mache snowball, two feet in diameter, was cast out into the midst of the dancers. Earl Pate was the nearest to it and everyone urged him to kick it. Earl surveyed it dubiously from all sides and finally summoned up sufficient courage to boot the ball. Instead of rolling along the floor, it flew to pieces and several hundred paper snowballs fell out. Whereupon commenced a battle royal, which continued throughout the remainder of the evening unabated.

In addition to the regular membership which was almost 100 per cent present, Dr. and Mrs. Anderson of California, who are the guests of Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fowler, were present.

The Merry Dance Club Orchestra furnished the music.

FIRST BAND CONCERT
PLEASES MANY WEDNESDAY

The Sikeston Band, under the direction of Herman Smith, presented an attractive program Wednesday evening at eight o'clock in Malone Park. A good sized crowd was out to hear the initial program and they were well pleased. These concerts will be given every other Wednesday evening throughout the remainder of the summer.

The program presented:
March—March of the Champions.
March—Hoof Prints
Overture—Ocean Waves
March—Grand Eagle
Folk Song—The Old Oaken Bucket.
Overture—The Conqueror.
March—Royal Welcome.

Tanner Dye arrived Wednesday from St. Louis.

E. P. Coleman is visiting his brother in Winchester, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Campbell spent Wednesday in Lilbourn.

Miss Lottie Dover is expected home from Columbia, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Reed has accepted a position with the Allen Motor Co.

Miss Frances Fisher has accepted a position with the Stubbs Motor Co.

Mrs. S. M. Dailey and Mrs. Courtwright of Vanduser visited in Sikeston, Wednesday.

Misses Lucille Baker and Ruth Inez Felker are visiting Miss Maxine Finley near McMullin.

Miss Era Dunlap left Thursday for St. Louis, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Young and family.

Miss Lucille Finley of near McMullin is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Harper left on Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Southern Missouri and Northern Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moffit and daughter spent the week-end in Caruthersville, visiting Mr. Moffit's sister, Mrs. Eastwood.

Miss Mildred Bowman, who is in training in the Baptist Sanitarium, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowman and family.

Miss Ruby Solomon returned to her home in Kennett, Wednesday, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Pittman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Malone and son, Paul David, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson left Wednesday for a three-weeks' camping trip near Iron Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schneider, Mrs. Peat Wiltz, Carl Schneider, Mrs. Ann Caster and E. J. Hayes of Indiana are visiting at the R. T. Wainman home.

Mrs. F. F. Young entertained Wednesday with a surprise birthday dinner for Mr. Young, it being his sixty-fourth birthday. Covers were laid for Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Brite, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gipson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Calvin and family, Miss Era Dunlap of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Young.

BIG BRIDGE AT DONIPHAN
A NEW HIGHWAY PROJECT

Bids for the new bridge to be constructed over the Current River at Doniphan on Highway No. 42 will be opened in Jefferson City, July 1.

This bridge will be quite an undertaking and will contain three steel spans of 150 feet each and an approach composed of twenty-three 40 foot deck girder spans, giving the complete structure a total length of 1370 feet.

Bids for the work of graveling the detour on No. 16 from Salcedo to Cline's Island were opened Monday, the low bidder being to the Novackulite Construction Company of Marion, Illinois.

Work is to start Monday and unless some unaccountable delay arises, the road should be completed within three weeks of the date started.

FALLS TRYING TO HOP
FAST FREIGHT TRAIN

Trying to hop a Frisco fast freight train No. 832, Gus Bunker of Carnak, Ill., was thrown violently to the ground. Fortunately he was thrown away from the tracks and managed to avoid being crushed by the car wheels.

Bunker, who is about 20 years of age, was bumming his way home and attempted to hop the freight as it passed through town. He evidently misjudged its speed for as he caught a side ladder, he was thrown to the ground and bruised rather badly.

His narrow fall didn't seem to shake his courage, however, as the next freight which came along he hopped, this time successfully, and started towards home.

Mesdames W. H. Sikes and children, J. N. Ross and Harris Draughan, shopped in Cairo Tuesday.

Little Miss Esther Jane Greer attended a birthday party in Charleston, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Matthews and Mrs. Betty Matthews spent Sunday in Charleston.

Mrs. Wineberg of Blytheville, Ark., the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Carroll Meyer.

W. T. Harris and F. L. Pittman transacted business in Caruthersville on Tuesday.

Joe Stubbs drove to St. Louis on business, Wednesday night.

John Walker of Kansas City arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Walker and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Matthews on Tuesday, June 15, a baby boy.

Miss Hattie Lewis of New Madrid is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilks.

Miss Dorothy Lillard returned to her home in Arlington, Ky., Wednesday.

Barney Waggner, our local mule dealer, will take in the Fairmount derby held at Collinsville, Ill., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison and C. C. Rose will leave Sunday on a business trip to Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowan and niece left Wednesday for a few days in Memphis.

Mrs. Allen Matthews and daughter, Miss Helen, of St. Louis, arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freeman.

Miss Bettie Daugherty is very ill at her home on Dorothy Street.

H. A. Hill returned from St. Louis Tuesday night.

A. Ray Smith and Bill Sikes left Thursday for St. Louis.

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Miss Anna Randol and Mrs. Ben Welter shopped in Cape Girardeau on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hess and Miss Isabelle, left Wednesday on a motor tour of the Ozarks.

Attorney Roger Bailey transacted business in New Madrid on Monday and at Jackson, Tuesday.

The Inman Store Company is prepared to fill your needs in the meat, grocery and dry goods lines. Phones 126, 136.

Mr. Sexton, who was successfully operated on for appendicitis at the Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff, has returned to Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Himmelberger, Miss Vera Edwards and Phillip Banks of Morehouse spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fisher.

Word was received here last week of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil J. Morris of Pasadena, California, on June 6th. The little Miss has been named Marjorie Ann. Mrs. Morris was formerly Miss Leta Lindley of this city.

Charles Alsop and James Wigginstein, who have been connected with the Missouri State Highway Department, are leaving the last of the week for Harrisonville, Ky., where they have accepted positions with the Kentucky State Highway Department. Alsop's home is in Willow Springs and Wigginstein's in Fredericktown.

FIRST ROUND OF PLAY
STARTS IN TOURNAMENT

The drawings for the first round of play in the first annual Golf Tournament of the Sikeston Country Club have been made and the pairings are posted on the office of the groundskeeper at the first hole tee-off.

The individual handicaps may be secured from the official score sheet at that place and the tournament will be played under the following conditions: Summer rules and ground rules as stated on the official score cards will govern all matches. The first and second round matches will be played without official scorekeepers, each player keeping his own score. The remainder of the matches will be played with officials appointed by the Board of Governors.

First round matches must be played on or before Monday, June 21. Second round matches must be played on or before Sunday, June 27th. Third round matches must be played on or before Thursday, July 1. Fourth-round matches must be played on or before Sunday, July 4. Semi-final round must be completed on or before Wednesday, July 7. The championship match will be played on Sunday, July 11 at 4:00 p. m. sharp.

Winners turn in scores at the office of the groundskeeper immediately following match. The Club champion will receive the handsome trophy which is now on display in the window at Yanson's Jewelry Store.

The pairings for the first round are as follow:

Jeff Meyer vs. S. R. Pake, Alvin Taylor vs. L. M. Stallcup, H. E. Morrison vs. P. H. Teal, H. A. Smith vs. R. E. Bailey, Randol Wilson vs. J. N. Ross, R. G. Applegate vs. Gus Martin, H. Clay Stubbs vs. Harold Hebbeler, C. D. Matthews, Jr. vs. Byron Bowman, F. W. Van Horne vs. Byrne Sands, C. Marvin McMullin vs. S. W. Applegate, H. C. Young vs. J. Walter Clymer, T. A. Slack vs. Dan McCoy, J. F. Cox, Sr. vs. Lee R. Bowman, J. Edgar White vs. Dr. T. C. McClure, Murray Klein vs. A. C. Barrett, H. A. Hill vs. Chester Limbaugh, F. L. Pittman vs. E. P. Coleman, W. P. Wilkerson vs. W. H. Sikes, Harris Draughan vs. Dr. Traubitz, W. T. Malone vs. A. Ray Smith, Regs Potashnick vs. George Lough, C. L. Blanton, Jr. vs. Sam A. Brady, L. F. Mayfield vs. J. L. Matthews, H. C. Blanton vs. C. S. Meyer, Orlando Arthur vs. F. M. Robbins, G. Moore Greer vs. Ed Toof, Joe Stubbs vs. J. S. Kevil, P. M. Gervig vs. J. P. Whidden, C. L. Prowe, Sr., vs. C. E. Brenton, J. E. Harper vs. R. F. Anderson, A. Paul Bowman vs. Dr. L. O. Rodes, Byron Crain vs. Joe Bowman, C. C. Scott vs. B. V. Forrester, E. C. Matthews vs. Lyman Bowman, W. A. Anthony ????

All players are urged to get in touch with their opponents and play their first round matches off as soon as possible so that their will be no necessity of defaulting anyone.

A. F. Lindsay made a business trip to Doniphan and Dexter Tuesday.

Mrs. W. Douglas left for Memphis Wednesday, where she will make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Scott are taking a two weeks vacation trip through the East.

Mrs. H. C. Keasler had her tonsils removed Tuesday morning and is getting along nicely.

Misses Martha Gresham and Evelyn Smith spent Sunday in Poplar Bluff visiting friends.

Inman's Store Company can serve you with what you want in meats, groceries and drygoods. Phones 126, 136.

William Woods, who recently received a fractured skull in a car wreck on the Poplar Bluff road, has taken a turn for the worse and is in a very serious condition.

Lee Polk of Poplar Bluff, who was formerly District Manager of the Prudential Life Insurance Company for this district, was a business visitor in Sikeston, Tuesday.

FOR SALE—Property. See F. E. Jones, or call 576. 3t.

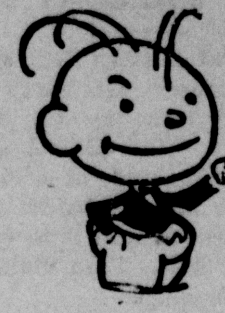
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FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms, hot and cold water. Call Mrs. C. C. Buchanan, 403 South Kingshighway, 2t.

FOR SALE—Practically new 2-ton International truck, perfect condition every way, bargain. Also steam merry-go-round, \$200 cash or will trade.—J. L. Hicks & Son Lbr. Co., Doniphan, Mo.

FOR SALE—Pointer pups, from stock owned by President Baldwin of the Missouri Pacific R. R. Pedigreed and eligible for registry. These dogs are beauties. Terms reasonable.—F. P. White, Bertrand, Mo. 3t.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keith spent the week-end in St. Louis.

Cultivator shovels, \$3.50 set of six. Farmers Supply Company.

Carl Denman of St. Louis arrived Tuesday for a visit with homefolks.

Mrs. Charlie Hitt of Cape Girardeau is visiting Mrs. Lon Swanner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Buckles spent Sunday in Dexter.

Miss Cecil Hoover of Cape Girardeau is the guest of Miss Lucille Finley near McMullin.

Mrs. Robert Busch and Mrs. Willis Treece of Poplar Bluff were guests of Mrs. Nickles, Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayfield drove to Mayfield, Mo., Tuesday to visit with the former's parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Ardo Dee Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Welter spent Monday afternoon in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Aulton Cravens and daughter, Miss Mildred, and Mrs. M. McAllister spent Sunday in Dexter.

Mrs. Myrtle Kassell of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. Clyde Boutwell of Stuttgart, Ark., visited in Sikeston, Wednesday.

This is the only market in Sikeston that owns their own slaughter house, kills all their own meat, insuring you the best in fresh home killed meats at all times.—Consumers Supply Co. We Deliver.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maloney of 507 Kendal Street, are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Sunday morning, June 13th. She has been named Carnicee Lee. Both mother and babe are doing nicely.

It was mighty nice of Congressman Bailey to go to Florida with one of the few appointments to Annapolis that he will have at his disposal while a Congressman. Boys from the Fourteenth Congressional District will feel as kindly disposed toward him as do the farmers of all political beliefs for his vote on the Haugen Bill.

Every community has a man or two more worthless than others. Sikeston is just hooked up with one or two of this stripe and for one we are willing to assist in a good horsewhipping. One of these animals hasn't attempted to do a lick of work in several years and has threatened to kill his wife because she would not give him money to buy cigarettes. His wife is working and attempting to make a living for self and children, while he is willing to loaf and spend. We shall call no names as we have no desire to be too personal, but if any regulators will call at The Standard office, we'll point out his lair. The other man works, but whips his wife.

BOSWELL INFANT LAID TO
REST HERE TUESDAY

The two and a half months old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Boswell of Morehouse, died early Tuesday morning, after an illness of only a few days. The little body was laid to rest in the Sikeston Cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 4:30. Mrs. Boswell will be remembered by Sikeston friends as Miss Lucille Lemley, formerly of this city. Her many friends join The Standard in extending sympathy to her.

Phone 126 or 136 to Inman Store Company for meats, groceries and dry goods.

Mrs. Percy Minton returned Sunday to her home in Indianapolis, Ind., after visiting a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. C. E. Minton.

Master Bill Van Horne entertained with a birthday picnic at Little River Saturday. Those who enjoyed the picnic were: John F. Woods, Louise Woods, G. B. Greer, Moore Greer, Jr., Esther Jane Greer and Misses Clayborn Rowan and Mildred Myers.

Miss Martha Howlett of Charleston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer Tuesday and Wednesday.

FOR RENT—Five-room house close to Factor.—Mrs. Bartlett, 538 Matthews avenue. 1t.



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Farmers Supply Co.
Hardware Department

BROTHERLY QUARREL ENDS IN SHOOTING

A brotherly quarrel came to an end Monday night (for the time being at least) when Jesse Bohanan shot his brother, Will, with a shotgun, four buckshots lodging in his arm and one against a rib. His injuries are not considered serious.

Will Bohanan, the elder of the two, is about 30, and Jesse about 25. The two brothers are farming the Tom Myers farm in New Madrid county, about four miles west of Sikeston and the trouble took place there in somewhat the following manner, according to the most reliable information obtainable by The Standard.

The two were working different parts of the farm, Will providing the farm machinery. Will was working out his cotton Monday morning and had his small boy riding a cultivator in a corn field. The cultivator was heavy and unmanageable and so Bill told the boy to go down to Jesse's and get a "Busy Bee" cultivator that he thought would be easier for him to handle. When the youngster went after the cultivator, Jesse refused to let him have it and the boy brought that information back to Will.

After he had come in from work that evening, Will took his team and went down to Jesse's and started hitching on to the cultivator. As he was so doing, Jesse appeared on the scene with a shotgun. What actually took place is not known. Will states, it is reported, that he didn't stop to argue the question at all, but started to get out of the way, but that Jesse shot without giving him a chance.

Doubtless the trouble arose thru one of the other or both brothers losing their temper and while The Standard has been unable to find whether Jesse has taken any legal action against his brother, it is quite likely that the two have come to an agreement and that both are ashamed of this regrettable quarrel and it's what might well have proved fatal consequences.

CONDITIONS ON FARMS LOCALLY ARE FAVORABLE

Wheat cutting is general all over Southeast Missouri this week and threshing will get under way not later than the last of next week. The wheat yield is expected to be average, the heads being well filled out, but shorter than usual.

The condition of other crops, in the territory immediately surrounding Sikeston especially, is most promising. The recent rains have supplied plenty of moisture and the cotton and corn have taken on a splendid growth. The farmers have been able to get into their fields soon after the rains and work them over and so both crops are free from weeds.

Conditions in the Little River District are not so promising as that section has not been favored with the fine rains that this section has been the recipient of.

County Agent Renner informs The Standard that many of the farmers over the county who have planted sunflowers, are being troubled by a bore which attacks these plants. The nature of this insect and the best method of combating it, have not yet been determined and a specialist from the Missouri College of Agriculture was in Scott County Wednesday making a study of conditions in hope of working out a remedy. One farmer near Morley was compelled to plow under a forty-acre field and replant because of the damage done by this pest to his crop.

LEAVING SATURDAY ON FISHING TRIP TO OZARKS

A number of local men are leaving Saturday on a ten-days' fishing trip in the Ozarks. Those making the trip are: Dan McCoy, George Weber of St. Louis, W. E. Derris, W. E. Derris, Jr., Dr. T. C. McClure, Charles H. Yanson, Ed Kendall and Isaiah Washington, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Colored.

They chartered the steamer, Silver Shoal, to take them and their supplies up the Current River from Doniphan to Buffalo, where the river abounds in game fish.

Misses Hilma Black and Martha Gresham and Jack Bowman and Jack Stubbs drove to Cape Girardeau Tuesday night.

Misses Ruth McCoy, Ruth Allard, Clara Lindley, Lucille and Lillian Kendall, Mesdames Ned Tanner and Chester Limbaugh were the weekend guests of Mrs. Sid Finley of Charleston.

The best meats, groceries and dry goods at Inman's Store Co.
Mrs. Isabelle Wood of Blodgett is visiting the family of Jim Marshall. Let us provide you with meats, groceries and dry goods.—Inman Store Co. Phone 126 and 136.

Pearman Hinkle has accepted a position in St. Louis.
Dudley's Confectionery is sporting a new linoleum carpet on the floor.
Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gervig and children left Monday for Belleville, Ill., where they will make their home.

James F. Fulbright was in town on business, Tuesday.
M. E. Montgomery left Monday for a business trip to Kansas City.
Mrs. Nancy Henson and baby are spending the summer in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tyrer.

Call the Inman Store Co., 126 or 136 for the best in meats, groceries and drygoods.
W. G. Davis of the Chicago office of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, transacted business in Sikeston on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Dorothy Walker will leave on Sunday for a visit with relatives in Tennessee.
Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Fisher of Morehouse entertained the Wednesday Night Bridge Club at their home in that city.

DISCUSS PROSPECTS FOR OIL THURSDAY

A public meeting to discuss the oil prospects at the well which is being sunk near Himmel, five miles west of Crowder, was called for at the City Hall in Morehouse Thursday night by promoter, Thomas Arnold.

The promoters seem very optimistic concerning the chances of the well coming in. A depth of 1300 feet has been reached and according to reports oil laden sands have been brought to the surface. Attempts to determine the richness of this strata of oil bearing sand have been handicapped by a flow of artesian water struck at a depth of 900 feet, which will have to be cased out before the sand can be brought to the surface intact.

For the past three weeks the promoter has been attempting to check the flow of water, but without success as yet. If the amount of oil found at the present depth is not sufficient to justify pumping, the well will be sent on down to a depth of 2500 feet, the promoter claims. The well, commonly known as the Himmel well, has a checkered history which, as related in the Cape Missourian, follows:

Several years ago there was organized at Sikeston a corporation known as the Semo Development Company. This company started the well, which is located on the northwest quarter of Section 28, Township 27, Range 12, in Stoddard County. They purchased good drilling equipment and started the well, but soon gave it up.

Then the equipment and lease were turned over to a common-law trust, known as the H. P. C. Oil and Gas Syndicate. This company drilled to a depth of 400 feet, where they abandoned the enterprise because of lack of funds to continue farther.

The well then remained idle, there being no one who cared to take up the drilling, until last year, when a co-partnership known as Berry & Bean, of Oklahoma, took charge and drilled to a depth of 500 feet. They, too, abandoned it because of lack of funds.

Not long after Berry & Bean abandoned the undertaking the well and equipment were taken over by Thomas Arnold and his associates, who have the present lease on the property. They have drilled deeper than any of the men who preceded them, and have reached the depth of 1300 feet. At 900 feet they struck the stream of artesian water that is hindering their operations now, but at present they are reaming the hole preparatory to sinking an eight-inch casing that will stop the flow of water. As soon as the casing is down they expect to determine if the sand contains oil in sufficient quantities to make pumping at that depth paying. If it is found that it is not, they will drill deeper.

\$100 FINE AND 6 MONTHS IN JAIL TO MEN FOR THEFT

Charles Manly and Henry Ates of Paragould, Ark., were found guilty of theft in the court of Police Judge W. S. Smith, Tuesday and received the maximum sentence for petty larceny, six months in jail and a fine of \$100.

Manly and Ates were arrested on June 2nd and held over in the county jail at Benton until their case could be tried. They were accused of theft and upon them was found goods which had been taken from several local merchants, also a quantity of goods that could not be identified. The total value of the merchandise was about sixty dollars.

These two, it is presumed, were working their way about through the country by thieving, one stealing the goods while the other engaged the attention of the clerk. At each town they would sell the loot taken from the place last visited. Prosecuting Attorney Steve Barton of Benton, prosecuted the case.

Inman Store Company can supply your needs in the grocery, meat and dry goods lines. Phones 126, 136.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tongate entertained with a farewell party at their home Monday evening in honor of the former's sister, Miss Beulah Swanner. The guests were: Misses Jessie Vaughn, Julia Buckle, Virginia Martin, Lola Smith, Vera Singleton, Elsie Bates, Thelma Colley, Pearl Crutchfield, Lessie Page and Earl Singleton, Bernard Crain, Willard Sexton, Earl Stacy, Ernest Inman, Lee Page, Mac Bomer, Elzie Boardman, Otis Champion and Robney Kirby. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and mints were served.

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SWEEPING OPPORTUNITY SALE

This sale has been a huge success to us and a timely saving event to our trade. We have been showered with compliments from new and old customers alike. They are pleased as you will be when you see such values as--

5 string white enamel handled brooms, an 85c value, only
33c

Pure Silk Hose, in all wanted shades, \$.100 ualue and strictly perfect
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All silk [12 mommie] Pongee
65c

Children's 3-4 length Hose, 50c and 60c value
33c

Our entire stock of Men's Straw Hats
1-4 off

Kotex, 3 boxes for
\$1.00

New, Nobbby and Well Made Children's Wash Suits
98c

Entire Stock Rayon Dresses
\$3.89

Ladies' good grade Bungalow Aprons
59c

1 1-2 yard lengths of \$3 values Printed Georgette and Crepe DeChine
\$2.25

Men's Dress Socks, in assorted colors, 15c value, 9c

3 pairs 25c 13 pairs \$1.00
Men's White Handkerchiefs
3 for 10c

Men's Athletic Union Suits, mighty good value for the money, while they last
39c

Men's good grade blue work shirts, 75c values
49c

One lot good Balbriggan union suits, only
59c

Boy's well made overalls ages 6 to 16
79c

Ladies Fiber Silk hose
39c

One lot Silk Dresses, values to \$10, while they last
\$3.95

One lot ladies Gingham Aprons fast colors, \$2 values
\$1.39

One lot pinchecks, not with patch pockets, regular pants make
89c

Men's good grade and well made overalls and jumpers, in 220 and 240 weights
98c

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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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Entered at the Postoffice at Sikeston Scott County, Missouri, as second-class mail matter, according to act of Congress.

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The land owners of Southeast Missouri has it in his power, to a great extent, to determine the class of citizens that we have on the farms. Some ten years ago a bunch of night riders from the Kentucky hills attempted to take charge of affairs of the landowner by threats of force and it was not until some of them were sent to the penitentiary and others put off the land, that they concluded this was no place for them. Then came the moonshiner from various sections and proceeded to do as they please, make and sell whiskey contrary to the law—shoot and kill if necessary. Now who is at fault that we have this class? We'll say the landowner, because he is not particular enough to learn the habits of the man before he places him on the land. If we are to give protection to one another we should secure the best grade of help possible and not take the first that comes along.

It might not be out of place to call the attention of the Scrapping Protestants of the United States to the solidarity of the Roman Catholics of the States and the World. The Protestants have no head of all their churches but each sect has a leader and few of the leaders agree with each other. We are not a Roman Catholic and never will be, but the strides the Catholics are making throughout the United States and the world should be sufficient to show Protestants that their family bickerings and fights are losing them the respect of non-members of any church who are attracted to the Roman Catholic Church for the reason that one hears of no bickerings anywhere along the line from the Pope at Rome down to the lowliest priest. Real actions and real Christianity is the Church that will reap the reward.

On another page of The Standard will be found a statement issued from Washington by Secretary Mellon of the Treasury Department, which shows conclusively that the Coolidge Administration have had no intention of permitting any so-called farm legislation becoming a law. Mellon calls the provisions of the Haugen Bill a subsidy for cotton, wheat, corn, hogs and cattle and says it would have to be paid the consumer. He also says if the farmers are given the subsidy then must the manufacturers be given a subsidy. The manufacturers and the railroads now have a subsidy in the way of a high protective tariff and high freight rates, that Congress has already given them. It is high time that the people of the agricultural sections of the United States are given them some sort of a guarantee that they shall have a reasonable return on their investments and for their labor. How this is to be accomplished remains to be seen. One thing is certain and that is all legislation at Washington is dictated by the manufacturing interests of the New England States and none of it is good for the farmer.

If Thad Snow is the nominee of the Democrats for Congress in this District at the August primary, there will be thousands of Republicans vote for him at the general election believing in his sincerity and honesty of purpose. It's action that is wanted in the Halls of Congress and not hot air and if Thad Snow is sent up to succeed Bailey, he will vote the will of his people and not the orders from New England.

Brice Edwards of Morehouse is a candidate for the Legislature from that county. He is splendidly equipped for the position, is engaged in extension work for the State, been a citizen of and a teacher of Morehouse for some time. The farmer now needs some representation from men who know farming.

The office force doffs its hat to Mrs. J. N. Sheppard for a large platter of real doughnuts sent to us on Tuesday. They were of the Sheppard variety of cooking and much relished.

If some people we know would spend half the time they waste in telling their friends what they are going to do in actually doing it, they might accomplish something.

Don't confuse the Eucharist Congress to open in Chicago, Sunday, with a Eunuchs Congress. They are different but results are the same.

IN THE STANDARD TWELVE YEARS AGO

Mrs. I. Becker and children spent Sunday in Charleston with Mrs. Wigle.

Miss Hazel Wilson went to Oran Tuesday to visit with relatives for a few days.

Misses Bess Randol and Burnice Tanner have invited a host of friends to meet them at the City Club this evening and be their guests at a harvest dance. The girls will wear gingham aprons and the boys overalls. It will, no doubt, be a pleasant affair.

Little Marguerite Rogers went to Memphis, Tenn., Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Wilma Warmack.

E. J. Keith and wife went to Washington, Ind., Wednesday. Mr. Keith on business and Mrs. Keith to visit her father.

Miss Irene Hollister, who has been in Kansas City for the past year, is spending her vacation in Sikeston with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hollister.

Mesdames W. C. Bowman and children, Lyman Bowman and children and Sam Bowman and son returned Wednesday from Dawson Springs, Ky., where they have been for the past two weeks.

Lyman Matthews, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matthews of Sikeston, and Mrs. Florence Swink Walker, of Farmington, were married at Farmington Wednesday. Those in attendance from Sikeston were: A. J. Matthews, wife and daughter, Miss Mary, E. A. Matthews and wife, L. D. Baker and wife, Leonard McMullin and wife. The Standard join in wishing the young couple a happy and prosperous future.

The Embroidery Club met with Mrs. Charles Yanson Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. D. N. Allard and son, Fred, returned aturday from Illinois, where they had been visiting relatives.

Miss Hazel Stubbs visited Miss Lucille Alexander at Charleston the first of the week.

Joe Stubbs and W. H. Sikes filled a social engagement in Charleston, Sunday evening.

Misses Nina Marshall and Marie Chaney are expected home from Arcadia today. The young ladies will no doubt, be mighty glad to get back to their homes.

Lee Bowman was the guest of Miss Verna Cox, at Lilbourn, Friday.

Clay Stubbs returned Friday from Upper Alton, Ill., where he has been attending school for the past few months.

Miss Willie Pharris gave a bunting party Thursday night to which the following young ladies attended: Gladys Kendall, Marjorie Smith, Hettie Mayfield, Keturah White, Vera Walpole, Margaret Shanks, Edna Freeman. The girls attended the show, went to the City Club for a little dance, had some refreshments and were then supposed to sleep, but practically no sleep was had—only a good time and a splendid breakfast.

WHY GIRLS LEAVE HOME

Too much work—not enough work. Too much money—not enough money.

Too much discipline—not enough discipline. Too much education—not enough education.

Too much gossip—not enough gossip. Too much sweetheart—not enough sweetheart.

We observe where some learned writer says the automobile is the cause of so many unmarried mothers and we are just wondering if the automobile has anything to do with so many unmarried fathers.

AROUND THE WORLD IN TWENTY-ONE DAYS

On the 11th February, 1780, a British Army, under Sir Henry Clinton, landed within thirty miles of the city and commenced to advance upon it. Clinton formed a depot of supplies and built fortifications at Wap-poo, on James' Island; on the 1st of April he crossed the Ashley and invested the city, at the same time his fleet crossed the bar, and this time passing Fort Moultrie under a heavy fire, but without engaging it, sailed into the harbor. The American forces of less than 4,000 men, chiefly militia under command of General Lincoln, made active preparations for defence, strong lines of fortifications were thrown up across the Neck, and the works on South Bay, and other exposed parts of the city, strengthened and manned.

The British advanced against the land side, by regular approaches, keeping up meantime a heavy bombardment; several skirmishes occurred between portions of the two armies, but there was no general engagement, and on the 12th of May, the enemy having carried the outer works, prepared for a general assault by land and sea; when the garrison perceiving that further resistance was useless, and having already suffered heavily from sickness and want of food, determined to capitulate.

The British held the city until the 14th of December, 1782, and under their harsh rule the inhabitants had to endure many privations and indignities. At that time the commander, General Leslie, having leveled the walls of the town and of Fort Johnson, notified General Greene of the intended evacuation; and an arrangement was made for the American troops to enter the town as the British left it, both parties pledging themselves to abstain from any hostile demonstrations.

As may be supposed, great rejoicings followed this event. So far as Charleston was concerned, the war was virtually ended and the general peace which was made soon after removed all further difficulties.

The war with Great Britain of 1812 did not seriously affect her; naturally there were occasional stoppages of trade and threats of attack, but nothing came of these beyond exciting in the people that prompt spirit of resistance to force which they have always exhibited.

This condition continued with the exception of the Nullification excitement until the outbreak of the War of Secession.

On 31st March, 1850, the city mourned the loss of South Carolina's greatest statesman, Hon. John C. Calhoun. Every respect was paid to his memory, his remains received with the utmost deference and ceremony, and finally deposited in the churchyard of St. Phillips' Church.

The impression of Charleston on our party was one of solemnity. It being one of the first settlements of the New World, its beautiful old mansions and church houses and its magnificent modern homes in their settings were beautiful to behold. Many of the homes were facing Charleston harbor with Fort Sumpter in the distance, a park with blooming magnolias was in the foreground of these modern homes. King Street is, perhaps, the most noted of all. It was on this street that most of the residences and churches of a century or more ago were built. The homes of the early period in Charleston were built with the end of the house right up to the side walk, with windows that were usually heavily shuttered. The entrance to these homes were through a side gate that led into a yard or garden, then to the porch the full length of the house. Many of these homes were three stories with full length porches for each story. The lawn and garden were to the back and sides of the house with servants quarters to the rear. Tall rock walls with spikes at the top kept intruders out and when the wrought iron gate was closed the family enjoyed all privacy. Magnolia trees as large as ones body and all sorts of flowering shrubs and roses were at their prettiest while we were there.

Down on a side street was the powder magazine built in 1703. This building was covered with tiles that plainly showed they were hand made as finger prints were visible. The ammunition for the Colony was kept in this house and issued on orders to those entitled to it.

The one night and day in Charleston was very enjoyable and an entire week could have been profitably spent had we the time.

Leaving Charleston after lunch, we went north to Columbia, the State Capitol, and on to Winstonsboro for the night, which we spent at the Fairfield Inn, one of the most splendid hotels of all. Winstonsboro is rich in Colonial history, from its occupancy by Lord Cornwallis in 1780, and is tinged with earlier history and tradi-

BARGAINS

Great Removing Sale Starts Saturday, June 19

We are going to close out our present stock and get new goods for the new store. We can not list all bargains, but here are a few:

Glass Jelly molds, doz.	33c	All Candy, 1-2 lb.	10c
Box Stationery, up to 50c values	19c	Large Fancy Flower Vase	19c
Shelf Paper	5c	Cups and Saucers, set	69c
One lot Buttons, card	1c	Dinner Plates, set	69c
Women's Fancy Garters	19c	O. K. Fly Liquid with spray	19c
Children's 3-4 length silk hose	39c	White Granite Combinets	89c
Boy's Mercerized 3-4 length	19c	Water Wave Combs	5c
Fancy Etched Tumblers, set	39c	Sterno Canned Heat	10c
Large Glass Bowl	10c	7-inch Fry Pan	10c
Curtain Goods, 25c value, per yard	15c	Whisk Brooms	15c
Collar and Cuff Sets 50c value	19c	Oil Cloth, yard	28c
Women's Silk Hose	79c	Infants Hose, pair	5c
		Laundry Soap 10 bars	39c
		Lace, 2 yards	5c

Peek's Variety Store

tions of English Cavaliers, French Huguenots, Scotch Whigs and Covenanters. In this small city were some of the most beautiful homes and gardens seen on the trip. To pass some of the gardens was to breathe the fragrance of the magnolia, the honeysuckle and the jessamine, made us wonder if paradise could be more entrancing. No wonder the Southern of pre-Civil War days was such a wonder wooer with such surroundings and a sweet girl by his side. Oh, boy!

Winstonsboro proper has but a few hundred inhabitants. In recent years capitalists from Massachusetts have erected a textile mill near the old city that employs one thousand people and runs 24 hours. A new city of modern bungalows are clustered about this texture mill, but hasn't the attractive homelike appearance of the old city. Every yard of fabric turned out by this textile mill is used in making United States tires.

From Winstonsboro it was not many miles until we entered North Carolina and passed through Mecklinburg County, where the first Declaration of Independence was ratified. The Olivers of Cape Girardeau and Harry Alexander of the same city, point with pride to being from forbears from Mecklinburg.

Charlotte, N. C., was reached for noon lunch, which gave us time to remember Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ross of Sikeston with souvenir cards as Charlotte was their former home. This was a mighty busy city as was Winston-Salem further to the north. Winston-Salem is the center of the great tobacco industry of North Carolina and the largest city in the State. The past few years has given both Carolinas a great boom as manufacturing institutions backed by Northern capital has caused a net work of high tension power lines to be built throughout these States.

Through the Carolinas the many negro homes testified to the thrift of this race. They are farmers on their own land and their homes and surroundings were far ahead of white tenant farmers of Southeast Missouri. Poultry, cows, pigs, orchards and flowers were to be seen about these homes.

Night overtook us 25 miles north of Winston-Salem at a small town in North Carolina. We left this place early in the morning and took breakfast at Roanoke, Va., in the Piedmont Valley of the Old Dominion. Our trip up the Shenandoah Valley of

Virginia will be given in the next issue.

The average liquor expenditure for every non-abstaining family in England last year was \$175.

Each family in the United States uses an average of eighty pounds of soap a year at an approximate cost of ten dollars.

The Burlington, Santa Fe and Northwestern railroads called on Chillicothe Business College last week for telegraphers while similar calls were received from the Western Union for Iowa and Nebraska offices.

RULE FOR DRIVERS

An arm protruding from the car ahead means that the driver is:

1. Knocking ashes off a cigarette.
2. Going to turn to the left.
3. Telling a small boy to shut up, he won't buy any red pop.
4. Going to turn to the right.
5. Pointing out a scenic spot.
6. Going to back up.
7. Feeling for rain.
8. Telling his wife hell, yes, he's sure the kitchen door is locked.
9. Saluting a passing motorist, or going to stop.—Life.



The Judge Says---

wise Auto Owners Will Start Right by

Equipping Their Auto With Fisk Balloons

WHEN IN NEED OF TIRE SERVICE

PHONE 358

Carroll's Tire Station

TEXACO CORNER

Better refrigeration—without ice

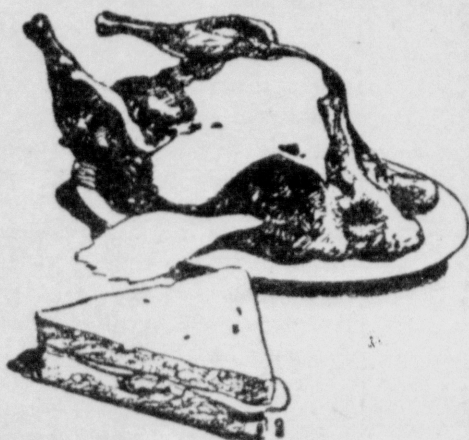
Frigidaire is the modern, economical method of keeping foods at an even, cold temperature. Change your present ice-box into an electric refrigerator with the Frigidaire unit, or select one of the new metal cabinet Frigidaires. Buy the Frigidaire you want on the G M A C monthly payment plan.

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White meat, in thick juicy slices, cut from the breast of a prime Roasting Chicken makes a wonderfully tasty sandwich. Try one of our prime roasters for this purpose. You will agree that it is extra good.

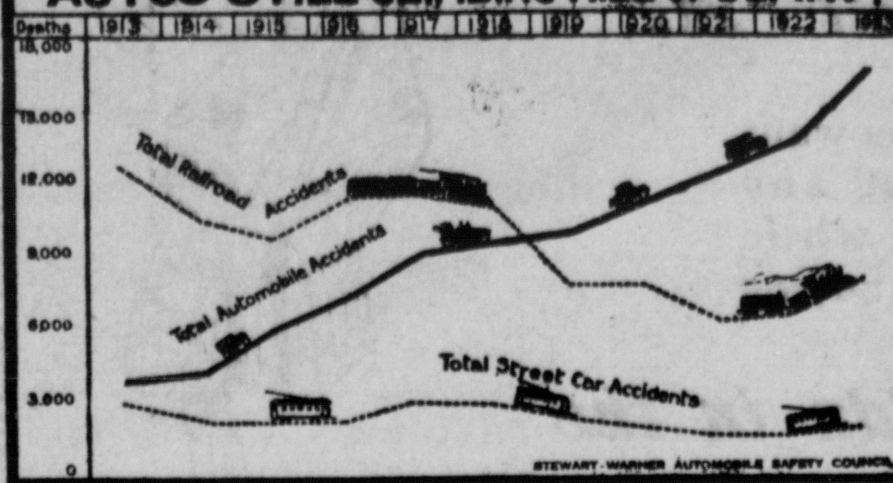
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Andres Meat Markets

Uptown and Frisco

Auto Tragedies Increase as Other Travel Is Made Safer

AUTOS STILL CLIMBING HILL OF DEATH



WHILE railroad tragedies and street car accidents in the United States have gradually been diminishing in the last ten years, the annual toll exacted by automobile casualties is steadily mounting, says the Stewart-Warner Safety Council for the prevention of automobile accidents. Railroad accidents have been cut more than one-third, or from 12,520 in 1913 to 8,078 in 1923, the latest government figures available. Street car fatalities also have been cut down one-third or from 3,080 in 1913 to 2,006 ten years later. Automobile deaths, on the other hand, have increased over five-fold. Against the 8,822 deaths in 1913 we have 16,462 in 1923, and the score is growing each year.

Care, more care and still more care, is the solution of this national problem. The pedestrian must be always on the alert and as spry as a kangaroo, if he is to keep out of harm's way, and the driver for his part must never relax his vigilance for a moment when human lives are at his mercy.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Hon. Jas. F. Fulbright, Democratic candidate for 14th Congressional District, spent a few hours in New Madrid Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shy are the proud parents of a daughter born to them on Monday, June 14.

X. Caverio and daughter, Miss Ellen, of Canolou were visitors in New Madrid Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hummel and children accompanied by Mrs. Hummel's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Verner of Charleston, motored to New Madrid last Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hummel.

Miss Floy Riggs was taken to St.

Mary's Hospital, Cairo, Wednesday to be operated on for appendicitis.

Howard Morrison and T. A. Slack of Sikeston were business visitors in New Madrid, Wednesday.

Atty. H. C. Blanton and Mr. Baker of Sikeston were business visitors in New Madrid, Tuesday.

Frank K. Ashby of Charleston spent Monday in our city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. John Vock and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crawford of Parma, accompanied by Rosalee Kerr, Master Welton O'Bannon and Mrs. John Rauh of this city and Mrs. Cora Morrow of Memphis spent Sunday at Charleston bridge on a picnic.

Uncle Hiram Ficklin of Scrubb Ridge was in New Madrid, Monday.

C. W. Stevenson of Lilbourn was a business visitor in our city Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie Mitchell had daughter, Mrs. Harry Sharp, accompanied by Mrs. W. S. Edwards spent Sunday visiting friends in Cape Girardeau.

E. L. Griffin, cashier of the Bank of Morehouse, was looking after business matters in New Madrid, Tuesday.

Attorney M. G. Gresham of Sikeston made a professional trip to New Madrid, last Friday.

Claude Allen, aged 9 years, 4 mos. and 15 days, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allen, died at his home in Matthews Tuesday afternoon, June 15, after an illness of four weeks. Funeral services were held at the family residence Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock by the Methodist minister, Rev. C. C. Bone. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery. Mr. Allen will be remembered as having lived in New Madrid several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simmons entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club with a night party, with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bock, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Digges, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sharp, Richard Pikey and Misses Lillian and Colombe Dawson. The ladies' prize, a bottle of perfume, went to Miss Colombe Dawson, for her proficient playing and C. C. Bock was winner of the gentlemen's prize, a pair of socks and a necktie. After the game, a most delightful salad luncheon was served.

Mrs. "Shorty" Lipe of Parma was injured in an automobile collision last Saturday night, a short distance from town. Mrs. Lipe was in company with some parties from Parma and collided with a car of people from Farrenberg.

Mrs. James A. Finch and son Lehman and daughter, Miss Catherine, went to Cape Girardeau last Monday to spend several days.

Miss Hattie Lewis and aunt "Tish" Lewis are in Sikeston, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkes. Mrs. Wilkes will be remembered as Miss Agat LaForge.

Mrs. F. M. Robbins was taken to St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau for an operation for paratonsil abscess.

Little Miss Janet Blackledge of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, was the guest of Lillian Gail Applegate Monday and Tuesday.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Misses Frankie and Alice Deane, Verna King, Mrs. Roy Alsop, John Sells, and Donald Story, who are attending school in Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end at home with their parents.

Mrs. Clarence Hunott is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Thos. Holderby and Bill Shibley were Sikeston visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Steele and sons were Sikeston visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Alfred Gossett and little daughter returned from a week's visit in St. Louis with relatives.

Miss Irene Sutton spent Sunday with Miss Lillith Deane.

We are glad to report Mrs. Bixter is improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lumsden and sons motored to Canolou Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Homer Lancaster was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King motored to Cape Girardeau Sunday to take their daughter, Miss Verna, back to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Mitchell and little daughter and niece, Mildred of Hayti spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane.

The Matthews baseball team went to Catron Sunday to play a game.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Taylor is very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sutton and little daughter and Mrs. Bess Fulkerson of Sikeston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Reed.

M. H. Sutton and daughter, Miss Irene shopped in Sikeston Saturday.

Mrs. G. D. Steele and Mrs. Albert Deane motored to Sikeston Monday afternoon to take Mrs. Deane's little daughter to the doctor. It was feared the little one had blood poison in her foot.

Ellis Reed and Kline Hope of Pochontas spent Sunday in Matthews, the guests of the Misses Whitten.

Miss Vanita Hicks left Sunday for Cape Girardeau, where she will enroll for the summer term at the Teachers College, there.

Mrs. Aubrey Lurmit and children returned to their home in New Madrid, Monday, after spending several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Deane.

We are beginning to feel important again, when we go on the streets with our old gray bonnet on, some nicely dressed fellow (we use to know) calls us by our first name and shakes hands with us, asks how we are getting along and then hands us a card. He is either a candidate or has a friend, who he is interested in. Oh well, it's nice to be remembered every two or four years.

Grandmother Mainord of New Madrid was in Matthews Tuesday.

SIKESTON STILL BATTLING
320 DESPITE SUNDAY'S DEFEAT

Although Donnel humiliated many of Sikeston's sluggers Sunday, the Club average is that of last week, 320. Haman continues to set the pace for the Club and the League, the husky first sacker getting three safeties out of four trips to the plate Sunday, swelling his average to .555. Dudley boosted his average to .400, but the majority of the team fared rather poorly. The averages:

Player	AB	H	%
Dowdy	27	7	.259
Dudley	25	10	.400
Crain	24	7	.291
Haman	27	15	.555
Burris	27	9	.333
Finn	26	6	.215
Mow	19	6	.317
B. Crain	14	3	.214
Martin	21	5	.238
Cooper	3	1	.333
Burger	21	1	.500

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If Sikeston defeats Dexter in the protest game, the local Club will be safely in the lead by two games. If they lose, however, Dexter will share honors with the Bulldogs, each Club then having five wins and two defeats on their record. The League standing at present (Sikeston being credited with the victory):

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sikeston	6	1	.857
Dexter	4	3	.571
Poplar Bluff	2	5	.285
Doniphan	2	5	.285

If Dexter wins the standing will be as follows:

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sikeston	5	2	.715
Dexter	5	2	.715
Poplar Bluff	2	5	.285
Doniphan	2	5	.285

Misses Maud Adams, Kate Moccabee and Mrs. Mary Shoulders of Morehouse were shopping in Sikeston, Wednesday.

Maj. Harry Dudley of the Missouri National Guard and Sergeant Jackson spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Doniphan checking over the new equipment which Company I of that city has just received from the government.

REORGANIZATION SALE

We have decided to adopt the Montgomery Ward idea and sell for a small profit. To convince you we are offering in connection with our sale the following specials:

Opening Day Special
Turkish Towels, 30x36
10c

Monday Special
Aluminum Percolators
69c

Tuesday Special
32 Inch Gingham
12 1-2c

FREE--OPENING DAY--42 Piece Dinder Set
LAST DAY--100 Piece Dinner Set

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Wednesday Special
14-Qt. Enamel Dish Pan
25c

Thursday Special
8-qt. Aluminum Preserving
Kettle, 59c

Friday Special
Ladies \$1.50 Chiffon Hose
79c

Saturday Special
10 bars Big 4 Soap, 33c
Mavis Talcum, 2 boxes, 30c

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

New Madrid, Mo., June 15.—Attorney George H. Traylor has been appointed special Deputy Finance Commissioner by the State Finance Department to liquidate the Bertrand State Bank, which was closed on May 17. The bank has resources totaling \$63,000.

Traylor, two weeks ago, was appointed to take charge of the Bragg City Bank in Pemiscot County, which has resources totaling \$50,000.

Cape Girardeau, June 15.—James Muskowitz, 17, and Elmer McKee, 19, who said their homes are in St. Louis, were sentenced to four years in the reformatory in circuit court today for the burglary of a store six weeks ago.

New Madrid June 15.—Rev. J. Murray Taylor, Christian evangelist of Memphis, Tenn., who is conducting the revival being held at the Kewanee School, was in New Madrid this week. The revival began last Sunday and he reports a great deal of interest in the meeting, with good audiences each evening. The revival will continue for two weeks longer.

Caruthersville, June 15.—Floyd Terrell, 19 years old, son of a farmer living near here, was killed by lightning while working in his father's cotton fields. A negro, while seeking shelter from the electrical storm, was injured badly when a small house collapsed.

Benton, June 15.—Five hundred people were here Sunday night for the services of the Billy Sunday Club of Cape Girardeau. Talks were given by Attorney B. C. Hardesty, Superintendent of Schools J. T. White, T. J. Tallent and Attorney Russell Dearth. The ladies of the Methodist Church served supper to about 100 Cape Girardeau people, including the members of the club.

Cape Girardeau, June 15.—Plans for a double roadway between Cape Girardeau and Jackson, a distance of ten miles, were approved at a meeting today of commissioners of the special road district with state highway engineers.

Right-of-way is now being secured for the road, which is to be a section of State Highway No. 9.

It is planned to secure a tract of 200 feet in width the entire distance between the towns. The state will lay one slab of concrete now and possibly another section at a later date.

It is planned to have two drives of at least 50 feet each, with parkways planted to shrubbery.

TO SERVE AS INSTRUCTORS
NAT. GIRLS' SUMMER CAMP

Miss Emma Moorehead, Woman's Athletic Director at Sikeston High School, and Miss Helen Hess, will leave June 28 for Three Lakes, Wisconsin, where they will act as instructors at Camp Idlewild, a girls' summer camp.

The camp will last through an 8-weeks' term and the young ladies will assist with the instruction in swimming, music and outdoor sports.

Mrs. Emma Kendall and Mrs. Wallace Applegate and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Commerce with relatives.

SCOUTS LEFT FOR CAMP SEMO THURSDAY

Twelve Scouts from Troops 1 and six from Troop 2, left early Thursday morning for Camp Semo, district camp for the Boy Scouts of the Cape-Miss-Scott Area. Troop 1 was accompanied by Wendel Ensor, Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop 2 by Rev. E. B. Hensley, Scoutmaster.

Camp Semo is located at White Springs, six miles southeast of Fredericktown on the Marquand road. The camp is easily accessible by road, taking No. 9 to Fredericktown and then back six miles on the Marquand road to the Scout sign. It is also conveniently reached by railroad being three miles from the Missouri Pacific branch at Cornwall.

Troop 2 left at seven Thursday morning driving to camp with Rev. Hensley. Troop 1 went partly by railroad and partly by car, Messrs. Tanner and Paine taking a number of the Scouts in their cars. The remainder left on the train at 8:45 with Assistant Scoutmaster Ensor and reached Cornwall at 11 o'clock. From Cornwall they hiked the three miles to camp, a truck taking their duffel bags.

The camp will last one week and during that time all of the Scouts hope to advance at least one degree in Scoutcraft. An intensive program has been worked out which, while providing ample play and recreation, at the same time, will be of instructive value to the boys.

To encourage the boys to do their best work and be on their mettle at all times, a system of awards has been worked out in the following: Tent inspection, All-round camper, Camp goat, Winner stunt night, table inspection, Morning dip, Life guard, Merit badges Hiking, Over-night hike, first class requirements, second class requirements, Most belt honors, Approved construction, Officer of the day, Orderly, Camp fatigue, etc.

Visitors will be welcome at Camp Semo on Sundays and each week day from 4:00 to 9:00 p. m. and all parents are especially invited to attend the camp at least once during the period.

The following Scouts made the trip:

TROOP 1—Gordon Blanton, Charles Prow, Frank Hardin Smith, Kendall Sikes, Lyman Mitchell, Harold Paine, Billy Tanner, Billy Fox, Woodrow Fitzgerald, Jack Fitzgerald, J. W. Jones Jr., Ernest Robertson and Assistant Scoutmaster, Ensor.

TROOPS 2—Ralph Bailey, Conley Purcell, Robert Mow, Harrison Tanner, Fwing Hensley, Walter McGee and Scoutmaster Hensley.

Rev. Hensley will return to Sikeston Saturday night in order to conduct services at his church on Sunday. He will return to camp Monday. Troop 3 is planning to attend the camp the last period, June 24 to July 1.

Mrs. John Healy and daughter, Miss Gladys, were called to Morehouse Tuesday on account of a sister of Mrs. Healy's being very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dudley will entertain with a dinner party tonight (Thursday) in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Ardo Dee Anderson of California.

Sam Potashnick, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Vick, Mrs. John Malone and Mr. Van Arsdale were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Albright, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ray Smith spent Sunday in Cape Girardeau.

Miss Lillie Crutchfield spent Tuesday evening visiting in McMullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ferrell and Miss Eva Newton spent Sunday in Benton and Blodgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Higgins and son of Dearthmont, Ark., arrived Tuesday for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Higgins.

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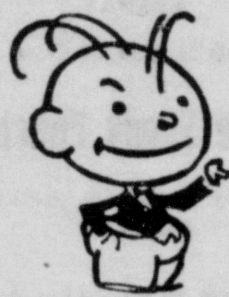
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GEORGE D. STEEL

While in Washington recently the editor made it his business to look after the interests of Skeston in regard to the prospective postoffice building. At that time the Public Building Bill had not been signed by the President and no one in authority knew how the bill, when signed, was to operate. We had several interviews with James A. Wetmore in charge of the Supervising Architect's office, Treasury Department, which office handles the matter of public buildings. At that time it was stated in the newspapers that but two buildings were to be erected in the rural districts of each State. With this understanding in view, we presented to the Architect the reason for placing one of these buildings in Southeast Missouri and that it was the only section of rural Missouri that had increased in population accord-

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ing the Federal Census. Then we presented the claims of Skeston over Caruthersville and West Plains, both in this Congressional District, and both with Skeston have a post-office site purchased in 1914, above the other places because Skeston postal receipts were more than \$26,000 in 1925, while those of Caruthersville were \$23,000 and of West Plains, \$20,000. These figures were official from the Post Office Department, and gotten while we were in that city. Another claim for Skeston was the crossing of two National Highways and our growth the past two years and our prospective growth. It was in response to a telegram sent from Washington by the editor to the Chamber of Commerce that caused the recent census of this city. These facts were all placed before Mr. Wetmore and we feel pretty confident when the time arrives to locate the two rural buildings in Missouri, Skeston will get one of them. We talked against no city, but for our own home town. Mr. Bailey, our Congressman, was not present at these meetings, but we feel confident that if asked about the matter by the Architect, he will endorse our course.

Harry B. Hawes, candidate for Senator on the Democratic ticket, has stated his position on the wet and dry question. He is in favor of modifying the Volstead Act to permit light wines and beer in order to keep down lawlessness. He is likewise against the 18th Amendment, but that is a law and will never be repealed. The Standard is glad to note his stand on the question that some people are trying to make an issue of. Light wines and beer will do away with much of the moonshining throughout the country and until some modification is made, law and order along the enforcement line is a joke. The dries have committed more crimes in the name of the law than have the wets who believe they have the constitutional right to eat and drink anything they please. This right was arbitrarily taken away from them without their consent.

Joe L. Moore of Commerce is a candidate for Probate Judge of Scott County on the Democratic ticket. He is not a stranger in our county as he was born and raised here. He was prosecuting attorney of the county during the 90s and during that time never had an indictment quashed and was never absent from court. He was one of the commissioners who put through the St. Johns Drainage Project that meant so much to that section. He devoted 25 years of his life to opening and developing land in Southeast Missouri. He asks your consideration at the polls.

A clear conscience while on earth beats an uncertain hereafter. The man who uses the Golden Rule to measure his actions toward his fellow man need have no fear of what is to follow after death and will be better content while alive.

If ever a country needed a hard-boiled Dictator that country is France at the present time. A bunch of half anarchists block every move that might help that country during her troublesome times.

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THAD SNOW DISCUSSES
THE FARMER'S PROBLEMS

I am a farmer. I love to farm. I want no other occupation in life. I believe that American ideals, American wholesomeness and tolerance of opinion and constructive American statesmanship depend now, as tradition has taught us always to believe, upon a prosperous and contented home-owning farmer citizenship.

We do not now have such a citizenship. Farmers of the Middle West and South are distressed, harrassed by debt and largely bankrupt.

Their financial disaster and mental distress and revolt are not due to temporary or accidental causes.

The steady decline in agriculture is not explained by unwise farming practices.

The decline is not going to be checked by any change in cropping systems.

Co-operative marketing is merely a step in the right direction. But it can be only a short step and a slow step until positive changes are made in our economic structure.

Our thinking upon the so-called "farm problem" has been vague and unsatisfactory until recently. We have felt the weight of forces we could scarcely comprehend. But we have been forced to the conviction that the weight and cost of the American protective system falls almost entirely upon agriculture, while its benefits are enjoyed by industry, transportation, finance and labor. We observe that the protective system with the tariff as its starting point, has extended through transportation laws, labor and immigration laws, and through banking laws, until it has embraced our industrial interests. It has extended through state laws even to the protection of our public service utilities which serve our towns with light and power. Even the production of ice may be said to be graciously protected by the American protective system.

We see with increasing clearness that we buy in a protected and sell in an unprotected market, to our serious and increasing disadvantage.

Two years ago the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, which was defeated in Congress, represented our first efforts to bring into effect an American Agricultural Policy, which should stand along side our American Industrial, Financial, Transportation and Labor policies.

The bill was beaten. It was based on the false assumption that an average of prices on staple farm products over a certain period before the great war, was an equitable and profitable price, which should be maintained by certain governmental machinery set up in the law.

I was against the bill then and would be more strongly against a like bill now.

No one expects a perfect farm bill in the beginning. What we expect is a start in the right direction in the great task of building an American Agricultural Policy.

I believe the Haugen bill, which was recently defeated in the lower house, would have made a safe start in the right direction. Whether a similar bill now before the Senate will have better success will be determined soon.

An analysis upon the recent vote upon the Haugen bill indicates clearly that the industrial East still demands cheap food and raw materials, regardless of the pauperization of the Agricultural Mid-West.

The industrial East formerly believed that its life depended upon cheap labor, just as it now believes that it must have cheap food and raw materials.

Union labor forced a high industrial wage scale. Now the whole country knows that the present prosperity of industry is made possible by the buying power of highly paid

industrial labor. Union labor has taught industry to like high wages. This is the greatest change in the economic thought that we have witnessed in our lifetime.

No greater change will take place when industrial capital awakens to the fact that buying power must also be extended to agriculture.

The leadership of Union Labor is drinking more clearly on the farm problem than that of industrial capital. Matthew Woll, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, states that he believes a constructive plan of farm relief is imperative. He holds that a plan such as the Haugen bill would add far less to the cost of living than would be added if farmers are forced to continue on the fringe of bankruptcy.

We have an American Industrial Policy, which guards jealously the American scale of living for the workers in industry.

I believe that American civilization, American ingenuity and statesmanship, can devise the means to elevate American agriculture to the American scale of living. It is a task which should have the united support of all classes.

But farmer thought and farmer thinkers must lead the way.

To be given an active part in the fight for the Reconstruction of American Agriculture is the highest honor that can come to a farmer of this day and time.

When Persian women walk abroad at night a servant carrying a primitive lantern precedes them through the unlighted streets, just as was done in medieval times.

So low are army salaries in France that officers in crack cavalry regiments and professors of the War College are working at menial labor to augment their income. Many are in dire want.

More than five hundred former students now in good office positions will meet in Swope Park, Kansas City next Sunday for the Sixth Annual Picnic and Reunion of the Chilleothe Business College alumni.

Ditch diggers, factory hands, clerks and stenographers of Leninград eat their meals from the tableware of the former Czar when they go on their frequent vacations to the "Workers' Sanatoria", established by the government.

LOOT!
BY ELMO SCOTT WATSON

"Long Ben," Hero of a Play

NEXT to Captain Kidd, perhaps no other pirate leader ever caught the popular fancy so much as Capt. John Avery, alias Henry Every, alias Captain Bridgeman, variously known as "Long Ben," and the "Arch-Pirate." A large part of this was due, no doubt, to the fact that he was the hero of Charles Johnson's play called "The Successful Pirate," which was acted at the Theater Royal in Drury Lane.

Avery was born about 1665, the son of a Plymouth innkeeper, and from the beginning he had a turbulent career. As a youth he shipped as a cabin boy and soon proved himself an accomplished young desperado. He first came into prominence as first officer on an armed privateer, The Duke, whose commander, Captain Gibson, the Spaniards had engaged to fight French pirates in the West Indies. Avery led a mutiny on board the ship while it lay at anchor in Cadiz harbor, put the captain ashore and was himself elected captain. Then he renamed the vessel the Charles the Second and set out.

At the Isle of May he seized the Portuguese governor and held him for ransom until a supply of provisions were sent aboard; then he sailed away to the coast of Guinea to engage in the slave trade, capturing two or three English vessels en route. Near the Island of Princess he captured two Danish ships, and then set out for Madagascar, from which base he operated in the Red sea.

At Aden Avery's ship was joined by two English pirate ships and three from America, all bent upon the same quest. An incident which took place a short time before this was typical of Avery's capacity for devilry in general. He had sailed into the harbor of a town named Meat with the intention of selling some of his stolen merchandise to the natives. But they were suspicious of Avery's villainous looking "traders" and refused to do any business with them. In order to punish them the pirates burnt their town.

Although the pirate ships kept a vigilant watch for the Mocha fleet it managed to elude the freebooters in the night. But Avery was hot in pursuit the next morning and, singling out the biggest vessel, captured it after a two-hour battle. It turned out to be the Gunsway, owned by the Great Mogul himself, and one of his daughters was aboard. From this ship the pirates took a vast loot—100,000 pieces of eight and the same number of chequins. The Great Mogul was furious at this outrage and indifferent as to whether innocent or guilty should pay for it, threatened to lay waste to all the East India company's settlements in revenge. Whether or not he made good on his threat is not recorded, but he never made Avery suffer for it.

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"Milk helps repair the wear and tear of the body. It is a good meat for building muscle. Moreover, it is cheaper. A quart of milk will supply as much protein as seven ounces of sirloin steak or four large eggs. Milk, particularly evaporated milk, which has twice the mineral content of market milk, is one of the best and cheapest sources of lime, which is a form of calcium. Infants and growing children need lime to build bones and teeth. It is just as necessary for adults to keep their bones in good condition. One quart of milk, or one pint of evaporated milk, furnishes as much calcium as ten large oranges, thirty-two eggs or twenty pounds of beef. Milk also is a valuable source of phosphorus and supplies a certain amount of iron."

"By some authorities milk is said to be an aid in longevity. Dr. Herman Bundesen, health commissioner for Chicago, gives his prescription for long life as follows: Drink one quart of milk a day and mix with one hour of sunshine. Repeat ad infinitum."

"Due to the efforts of health officials to get across to the public the message of milk, its general use in the United States has advanced tremendously in the last decade. This is especially true of evaporated milk for reasons of its convenience and economy. Housewives know there is no fear of obtaining contaminated evaporated milk, because it is not only the best grade of market milk rendered double-rich by dehydrating, but it is sterilized as well."

Ivan Randolph and Joe Albright left Monday for Detroit, Mich., where they expect to obtain employment for the summer.

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Happy Wedlock
Sure Thing If
Bride Is Cook

By KATHRYN ST. JOHN

Haphazard meals yearly ruin thousands of marriages. Most marital ships would maintain an even keel if brides knew cooking.

Many of the first year's troubles between newlyweds would be avoided if the wife were capable of preparing foods with an experienced hand. Wives are to blame for the failure of many business men in the final analysis. The business man's health depends a great deal on what he eats. And it's up to his wife to see that he gets the right kind of food. A healthfully balanced diet goes a long way toward making the tired business man less fatigued.

The expert home manager sees to it that her husband never comes home to a delicatessen lunch. There is a carefully planned meal waiting for him. The real housewife knows that an unbalanced diet means trouble and avoids it. Likewise she appreciates

the fact that variation in her menus is important. In this connection the following recipes have been selected as an aid to the home manager:

Frozen Salad.
1/2 cup mayonnaise 1/2 cup candied dressing cherries
1/2 cup diced pine- 1/2 cup diced apple bananas
4 tbsp. pineapple 2 tbsp. lemon juice
juice 1/2 cup evaporated milk
1/2 cup cream
Mix the fruit and juices. Combine milk and cream, chill and whip; then fold in the fruit and mayonnaise. Pour into a mold and pack in equal parts of salt and ice. Serve on lettuce leaves. This serves eight.

Orange Bavarian.
1 tbsp. gelatin 2-3 cup evaporated
1/2 cup cold water milk
1 cup orange juice 1-3 cup whipping
3 tbsp. lemon juice cream
1/2 tsp. salt 1/2 cup sugar
Soak gelatin in cold water, add fruit juices, sugar and salt. Heat in the top of a double boiler until gelatin dissolves. Strain and set in pan of cold water. When mixture begins to set, fold in the evaporated milk and cream which have been beaten stiff.

Banana Ice Cream.
6 very ripe 2 cups evaporated
bananas milk
1/2 cup lemon juice 2 cups cream
2 1/2 cups sugar 1/2 tsp. salt
Scrape off adhering fibrous portion on surface of peeled bananas. Mash and rub through a sieve. Add the rest of the ingredients in the order given and stir until all are well blended. Let stand for 20 minutes so that all sugar may dissolve. Freeze in a 1 to 6 salt-ice mixture. This recipe makes 1/2 gallon cream.

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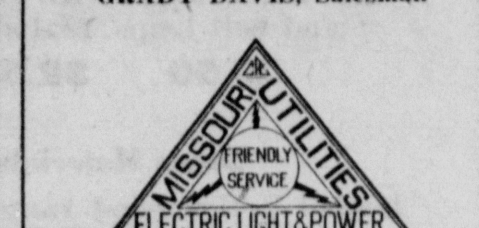
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Ticket Agent, Frisco Lines
Sikeston, Mo.

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EASTERN STAR TO PRESENT PLAY

The Order of Eastern Star will present "The Flapper Granmother", a copyrighted home-talent musical comedy, in the High School gymnasium Friday, June 18, at 8:15 p. m. The play is directed by Miss Anne Lee Dyer of the Wayne P. Sewell Co., Atlanta, Ga., Miss Sara Malone being the accompanist.

A curtain raiser novelty, "An Automobile Romance", presenting Virginia Freeman, Jimmy Skillman and the chorus girls opens the play, which is in three acts as follows:

ACT I—Living room at Spriggins' home.

ACT II—Bargain sale at Spriggins' store.

ACT III—Welcome home Grandma.

The Cast—
Andrew Spriggins...Jas. Wiggensstein
Neat Spriggins...Ellen DeBois
Lena Spriggins...Virginia Freeman
Belindy Spriggins...Louise Shields
Maggie Pepper, "The Flapper Granmother".....Barbara Beck
Dr. Joy.....Lyman Fox
Dick Tate.....David Blanton
Jimmy Swift.....Jimmy Skillman
Bobby Smith.....Mort Griffith
Count Seekem Rich.....Warren Kingsbury

Rastus.....James McClellan
Lilly.....Herschel Tyer
Edith...Wootsen Inez Hollingsworth
Elf.....Anne Beck
"Debutantes Flappers": Lucille Stubblefield, Louise Stubblefield, Burdine Schreff, Glenda Montgomery, Margaret Clymer, Edna Mount, Mildred Christian, Lola Dempster.

"Jelly Beans": Spencer Black, Jimmy Howell, Mort Griffith, Harold Pitman.

"Matrons": Mesdames Edith Blanton, Rivers Tanner, Hallie Lindsay, Mary Johnson, Dorothy Laughlin, Eva Mow, Ruth Limbaugh and Miss Evelyn Sutton.

"Rag Dolls": Mary Jane Sikes, Melba Ruth Hollingsworth, Nana Lee Myers, Shirley Jane Sayers, Mary Louise Montgomery, Frances Bowman, Esther Jane Greer, Katherine Anne Cook.

"Maggie Chorus": Nana Belle Wilson, Mary Emma Powell, Emily Blanton, Margaret Mitchell, Mary Lou McCoy, Wootsen Hollingsworth, Ruth Ward Powell, Marjorie Mow.

"Door Knobs": Virginia Mount, Nana Belle Wilson, Mary Tanner, Marjorie Mow, Freda Sangford, Hazel Young, Wootsen Inez Hollingsworth, Carrie Nelle Mount.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Miss Sara Campbell surprised her many New Madrid friends Saturday by announcing her marriage to Wm. Weston Sherwood, Jr. The wedding took place at Alton, Mo., the ceremony being performed by Enoch Bailey, Probate Judge of Oregon County.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Campbell of this city, a very charming young lady of pleasing personality and quite a favorite in the social set.

The groom is the only son of Weston Sherwood of this city and Mrs. Rex Roberts of Denver, Colo. A high school graduate of New Madrid, 1926, possessing many attainment of high character. The young people will live at Salina, Kansas.

This is the third secret marriage in the Campbell family within a year. Harry Campbell and Miss La Rue Townsend were married at Poplar Bluff, June 27, 1925; Thad E. Campbell and Miss Camille Atkins were married at Bloomfield, March 9, 1926.

M. F. Ehlers has severed his official capacity as President of the Commercial Trust Co. of this city. His resignation is due to illness of his wife, she having to reside in a higher altitude. Mr. Ehlers has been a very progressive citizen in town for the past ten years and the community regrets to lose him.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Commercial Trust Co., F. M. Robbins was elected President to fill the vacancy left by M. F. Ehlers. Mr. Robbins has been a director for many years and is thoroughly acquainted with the banking business.

Misses Lady Lewis and Harriett Hunter returned Friday from St. Louis, where they have been attending Visitation Academy.

Mrs. M. V. Francis has rented the residence of W. D. Knott on Waters Street for the summer.

Misses Lucille and Virginia Francis returned to New Madrid by way of St. Louis, from New York City. Lucille completed her third year in the school and Miss Virginia her first year. In addition to their academic work, both young ladies completed a course in music at Ithaca Conservatory and the Williams School of Fine Arts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Knott left on Friday for Blytheville, Ark., where Mr. Knott has a contract for road work. Mrs. Knott will spend the summer in South Bend, Ind., with her daughter, Mrs. Harold Shaffer.

J. E. Hert and Dora Hert to W. B. Roach: Lots 3 and 4 blk. 5 Griffith's Add. to Canalou, \$1,000.

W. B. Roach and Emma E. Roach to A. L. Mayfield: Lots 3 and 4 blk. 5, Griffith's Add. Canalou. \$1.00 and exchange of property.

Frank Pearson to L. E. Blue: SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and all NW 1/4 and the W 1/4 of NE 1/4 10-23-15, 280 acres. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Olive W. Bess and J. W. Bess to G. W. (Son) Rone and Dora K. Rone: Lots 13 and 14 blk. 36 DeLisle 1st add. Portageville \$2000.

Oscar Fuller and Cora Fuller to Will Knight Letner: N 1/4 lots 6, 7 and 8, blk. 41 DeLisle 2nd add. Portageville, \$2500.

Will Knight Letner to Nelle Meatt, same, \$2500.
Lenora Brown to Jas. L. Arnold: 164.93 acres in sections 9 and 10, twp. 25, range 13. \$20,616.25.

Clyde K. Richards and Viola Catherine Richards to W. A. Calhoun: 113.06 acres land in sec. 32 and 33, twp. 24, range 13. \$6000.

John S. Kochitzky to Jennie B. Kochitzky: 335 acres 15-23-13. \$5,700.

Myrtle Workman to James A. Workman: Lot 5 and 15 ft. off S. side of lot 8, blk. 22 Gideon. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Marriage License
Robert N. Young, Lilbourn and Cecilia Garner, Parma.

Henry Brown and Ellen Kellum, both of Gideon.

Jack Fletcher Murphy and Violet Colvin, both of Marston.

Luther Tackett and Celess Clark, both of Cape Girardeau.

ST. LOUIS MAN PUTTING
OUT PEACH ORCHARD

M. Schenberg, president of the Schenberg's Markets, St. Louis, was in Sikeston, Monday. While here, he entered his subscription to The Standard and visited the office.

Mr. Schenberg was in Southeast Missouri to see about the new orchard he is setting out near Blodgett. It is to be a 125-acre peach orchard and will contain 10,000 trees. Mr. Schenberg believes this section has a great future in store for it, as a fruit growing and marketing district.

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MISSOURI INDUSTRIAL REVIEW NEWS

Boonville—Presbyterian church to enlarge building.

Chillicothe—New city hall being erected here.

Columbia—New hotel proposed for this city.

Versailles—Shoe factory to be established in this town.

Jamesport—Right of way on Route 6, between Trenton and Jamesport, will be widened to 60 feet.

Carthage—Business streets to be resurfaced.

Trenton—Marland Refining Company to erect wholesale plant here.

Kirksville—South Elson Street to be paved.

Kansas City—Two State highways out of Kansas City, will be opened soon.

Independence—Bids opened for paving east and west road to Kansas City.

Slater—Contract let for graveling road east of here.

Slater—New post office proposed for this city.

Caruthersville—Main streets of city to be repaved.

Stockton—Co-operative Cheese Factory will begin operations here.

Marshall—Work started on Highway No. 3, between Marshall and Sedalia.

Elm—Caterpillar tractor and big grader purchased by town.

Mexico—Contract let for alterations at Garfield school.

Kansas City—Permit issued to Missouri Hydro-Electric Power Company for power development on Current River in Missouri.

Palmyra—Work started on new Hannibal-Palmyra State road.

Marshfield—Work started on new reservoir for Marshfield water system.

Palmyra—Block on Lafayette St., between Main and Lane Streets to be graveled.

Gower—Santa Fe station repainted.

Bethany—Plans made for building hard-surfaced roadways in cemeteries.

Butler—Butler Telephone Company laying three-inch steel pipe to carry telephone cables.

Lamar—Square in Lamar to be paved.

Kirksville—New sidewalk being laid in front of Kirksville Savings Bank.

Grant City—Driveway to Grant City Cemetery to be paved.

Garden City—Mainard & Sons erecting new garage at Drexel.

Boonville—Paving started on Highway No. 2 between Moore's Switch and bridge on Perche Creek.

Green City—Work started, on new high school building.

Boonville—New electric fire siren installed.

Mt. Washington—Site chosen for erection of new fire station.

Pacific—Hardstone Brick & Tile Company constructing new factory building here.

Canton—Contract awarded for erection of new gymnasium and auditorium.

IMPROVEMENTS FOR
STANDARD OIL COMPANY

The Standard Oil station at the corner of Kingshighway and Center Streets has been making some improvements this week. The wires carrying the electricity to the lights on the signs at the corners of the station have been placed in a cable and run underground. This was done to safeguard the patrons of the station. The free air crane was in such a position that in using it, it

rubbed against the electric wires and there was the possibility of it rubbing the insulation off and carrying the current down the crane, giving the customer a shock. This danger is eliminated now that the wires have been placed underground.

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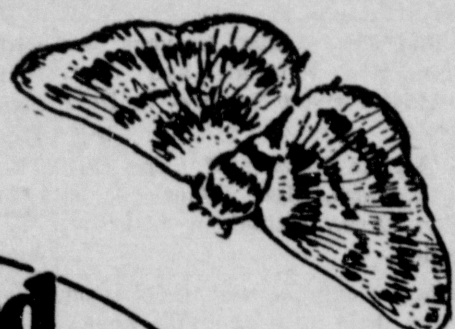
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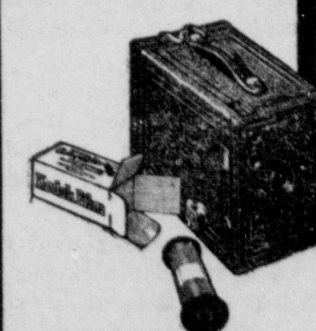
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LIONS CLUB TO HOLD LUNCHEON AT BENTON

The Lions Club voted at their luncheon Thursday to hold their next luncheon at Benton inasmuch as next Thursday is the date set for Southeast Missouri Day at that place. The Lions plan to take in the meeting in a body and then have their luncheon together at Benton. This action will assure Sikeston of having an excellent representation at this affair, which promises to be one of the largest in the history of Southeast Missouri.

The Weekly Derby Pool, which had mounted up to the sum of \$12 due to the failure of the winners to be present at previous luncheons, was won by Lynn Stallcup, who immediately presented it to the Club to apply to the fund which they are raising for the establishment of a State Institute for the Blind.

A feature of the luncheon Thursday was the entertainment furnished by the chorus of the Eastern Star play, "The Flapper Grandmother". The choruses were handsomely costumed and their song and dance numbers were very attractive and much appreciated by the Club.

MRS. MURRAY PHILLIPS CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

The condition of Mrs. Murray Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., of this city, continues to improve. Mrs. Phillips who was injured in an automobile accident last Friday night has been in the hospital at Cape Girardeau and following an operation has shown continual improvement, which her many friends will rejoice at hearing. According to word received here Thursday, she was very much better and had no fever.

WORK ON HIGHWAY NO. 16 IS SPEEDING ALONG

The Rouse Construction Company, that has the contract for the paving of No. 16 between Sikeston and Dexter, have in the past week extended the eighteen foot concrete slab as far as Brown Spur station, or almost two-thirds of the distance between Sikeston and Morehouse. They are working towards Sikeston.

SIKESTON TO HAVE A NEW DENTIST

Dr. Dean of Portageville has been in Sikeston this week preparatory to establishing a dental office. Dr. Dean has had a good following and comes to Sikeston well recommended. He will have his office in the Sexton Building.

CARY MAE WATKINS

Mrs. Cary Mae Watkins died Wednesday, June 16, of tuberculosis at the age of thirty-five. She was born June 16, 1891, dying on her birthday. Funeral services were held at the Matthews Methodist Church at 2:00 p. m., Thursday, Rev. Hardin officiating. Interment in the Sikeston cemetery.

Mrs. Watkins was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Vaughn of Matthews and the wife of Ed L. Watkins. The Watkins were formerly of Sikeston, moving to Matthews about a year ago. Besides the husband, four children survive. Mrs. Watkins was a woman who was well loved by all and The Standard joins the many friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

Miss Anita Winchester has accepted a position, during the summer, with The Sikeston Herald.

Mrs. Arthur Lynn and children of Charleston, Mrs. J. O. Bebout and child of Bertrand and Miss Cecil Hoover of Cape Girardeau visited Mrs. G. J. Layton, Monday.

Alvin Taylor and F. L. Pittman advanced to the second round of the Golf Tournament conducted by the Sikeston Country Club by virtue of victories over Lynn Stallcup and Ed Coleman, respectively. Seven others have gone into the second round of play by default, these being: H. A. Smith from R. E. Bailey, S. W. Applegate from C. Marvin McMullin, Chester Limbaugh from H. A. Hill, Harris Draughan from Dr. Traubitz, C. L. Blanton, Jr., from Sam Brady, J. P. Whidden from P. M. Gervig, B. V. Forrester from C. C. Scott.



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MERRY DANCE CLUB ENTERTAINED AT CAPE GIRARDEAU

Mr. and Mrs. Byrne Sands and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hutters acted as hosts and hostesses to the Merry Dance Club on Monday night, entertaining them at the Cape Girardeau Country Club.

The evening was cool, the orchestra hot, and so a delightful evening was spent in dancing. During the evening, a number of novelty favors such as balloon squawkers, caps, serpentine and confetti were passed out, adding to the gaiety of the affair. At ten o'clock a grand march was formed and after it wound about the dance floor a number of times, the guests were led into the spacious dining room, where they were served with fresh baked ham sandwiches, pickles and varied drinks.

After the intermission, as the dancing was resumed, a large papier mache snowball, two feet in diameter, was cast out into the midst of the dancers. Earl Pate was the nearest to it. Earl surveyed it dubiously from all sides and finally summoned up sufficient courage to boot the ball. Instead of rolling along the floor, it flew to pieces and several hundred paper snowballs fell out. Whereupon commenced a battle royal, which continued throughout the remainder of the evening unabated.

In addition to the regular membership which was almost 100 per cent present, Dr. and Mrs. Anderson of California, who are the guests of Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fowler, were present.

The Merry Dance Club Orchestra furnished the music.

FIRST BAND CONCERT PLEASES MANY WEDNESDAY

The Sikeston Band, under the direction of Herman Smith, presented an attractive program Wednesday evening at eight o'clock in Malone Park. A good sized crowd was out to hear the initial program and they were well pleased. These concerts will be given every other Wednesday evening throughout the remainder of the summer.

The program presented:
March—March of the Champions.
March—Hoof Prints
Overture—Ocean Waves
March—Grand Eagle
Folk Song—The Old Oaken Bucket.
Overture—The Conqueror.
March—Royal Welcome.

Tanner Dye arrived Wednesday from St. Louis.

E. P. Coleman is visiting his brother in Winchester, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Campbell spent Wednesday in Lilbourn.

Miss Lottie Dover is expected home from Columbia, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Reed has accepted a position with the Allen Motor Co.

Miss Frances Fisher has accepted a position with the Stubbs Motor Co.

Mrs. S. M. Dailey and Mrs. Courtwright of Vanduser visited in Sikeston, Wednesday.

Misses Lucille Baker and Ruth Inez Felker are visiting Miss Maxine Finley near McMullin.

Miss Era Dunlap left Thursday for St. Louis, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Young and family.

Miss Lucille Finley of near McMullin is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Harper left on Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Southern Missouri and Northern Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moffit and daughter spent the week-end in Caruthersville, visiting Mr. Moffit's sister, Mrs. Eastwood.

Miss Mildred Bowman, who is in training in the Baptist Sanitarium, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowman and family.

Miss Ruby Solomon returned to her home in Kennett, Wednesday, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Pitman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Malone and son, Paul David, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson left Wednesday for a three-weeks' camping trip near Iron Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schneider, Mrs. Peat Wiltz, Carl Schneider, Mrs. Ann Caster and E. J. Hayes of Indiana are visiting at the R. T. Wainman home.

Mrs. F. F. Young entertained Wednesday with a surprise birthday dinner for Mr. Young, it being his sixty-fourth birthday. Covers were laid for Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Brite, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gipson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Calvin and family, Miss Era Dunlap of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Young.

BIG BRIDGE AT DONIPHAN A NEW HIGHWAY PROJECT

Bids for the new bridge to be constructed over the Current River at Doniphan on Highway No. 42 will be opened in Jefferson City, July 1.

This bridge will be quite an undertaking and will contain three steel spans of 150 feet each and an approach composed of twenty-three 40 foot deck girder spans, giving the complete structure a total length of 1370 feet.

Bids for the work of graveling the detour on No. 16 from Salcedo to Cline's Island were opened Monday, the low bidder being to the Novackulite Construction Company of Marion, Illinois.

Work is to start Monday and unless some unaccountable delay arises, the road should be completed within three weeks of the date started.

FALLS TRYING TO HOP FAST FREIGHT TRAIN

Trying to hop a Frisco fast freight train No. 832, Gus Bunker of Carnak, Ill., was thrown violently to the ground. Fortunately he was thrown away from the tracks and managed to avoid being crushed by the car wheels.

Bunker, who is about 20 years of age, was bumming his way home and attempted to hop the freight as it passed through town. He evidently misjudged its speed for as he caught a side ladder, he was thrown to the ground and bruised rather badly.

His narrow fall didn't seem to shake his courage, however, as the next freight which came along he hopped, this time successfully, and started towards home.

Mesdames W. H. Sikes and children, J. N. Ross and Harris Draughan, shopped in Cairo Tuesday.

Little Miss Esther Jane Greer attended a birthday party in Charleston, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Matthews and Mrs. Betty Matthews spent Sunday in Charleston.

Mrs. Wineberg of Blytheville, Ark., the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Carroll Meyer.

W. T. Harris and F. L. Pittman transacted business in Caruthersville on Tuesday.

Joe Stubbs drove to St. Louis on business, Wednesday night.

John Walker of Kansas City arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Walker and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Matthews on Tuesday, June 15, a baby boy.

Miss Hattie Lewis of New Madrid is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilks.

Miss Dorothy Lillard returned to her home in Arlington, Ky., Wednesday.

Barnie Waggner, our local mule dealer, will take in the Fairmount derby held at Collinsville, Ill., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison and C.C. Rose will leave Sunday on a business trip to Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowan and niece left Wednesday for a few days in Memphis.

Mrs. Allen Matthews and daughter, Miss Helen, of St. Louis, arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Freeman.

Miss Bettie Daughtery is very ill at her home on Dorothy Street.

H. A. Hill returned from St. Louis Tuesday night.

A. Ray Smith and Bill Sikes left Thursday for St. Louis.

Inman Store Company for meats, groceries and dry goods. Phones 126 and 136.

Miss Anna Randol and Mrs. Ben Welter shopped in Cape Girardeau on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hess and Miss Isabelle, left Wednesday on a motor tour of the Ozarks.

Attorney Roger Bailey transacted business in New Madrid on Monday and at Jackson, Tuesday.

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Mr. Sexton, who was successfully operated on for appendicitis at the Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff, has returned to Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Himmelberger, Miss Vera Edwards and Phillip Banks of Morehouse spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fisher.

Word was received here last week of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil J. Morris of Pasadena, California, on June 6th. The little Miss has been named Marjorie Ann. Mrs. Morris was formerly Miss Letia Lindley of this city.

Charles Alsop and James Wigginstein, who have been connected with the Missouri State Highway Department, are leaving the last of the week for Harrisonville, Ky., where they have accepted positions with the Kentucky State Highway Department. Alsop's home is in Willow Springs and Wigginstein's in Fredericktown.

FIRST ROUND OF PLAY STARTS IN TOURNAMENT

The drawings for the first round of play in the first annual Golf Tournament of the Sikeston Country Club have been made and the pairings are posted on the office of the groundskeeper at the first hole tee-off.

The individual handicaps may be secured from the official score sheet at that place and the tournament will be played under the following conditions: Summer rules and ground rules as stated on the official score cards will govern all matches. The first and second round matches will be played without official scorekeepers, each player keeping his own score. The remainder of the matches will be played with officials appointed by the Board of Governors.

First round matches must be played on or before Monday, June 21. Second round matches must be played on or before Sunday, June 27th. Third round matches must be played on or before Thursday, July 1. Fourth-round matches must be played on or before Sunday, July 4. Semi-final round must be completed on or before Wednesday, July 7. The championship match will be played on Sunday, July 11 at 4:00 p. m. sharp.

Winners turn in scores at the office of the groundskeeper immediately following match. The Club champion will receive the handsome trophy which is now on display in the window at Yanson's Jewelry Store.

The pairings for the first round are as follows:

Jeff Meyer vs. S. R. Pake, Alvin Taylor vs. L. M. Stallcup, H. E. Morrison vs. P. H. Teal, H. A. Smith vs. R. E. Bailey, Randol Wilson vs. J. N. Ross, R. G. Applegate vs. Gus Martin, H. Clay Stubbs vs. Harold Hebbeler, C. D. Matthews, Jr. vs. Byron Bowman, F. W. Van Horne vs. Byrne Sands, C. Marvin McMullin vs. S. W. Applegate, H. C. Young vs. J. Walter Clymer, T. A. Slack vs. Dan McCoy, J. F. Cox, Sr. vs. Lee R. Bowman, J. Edgar White vs. Dr. T. C. McClure, Murray Klein vs. A. C. Barrett, H. A. Hill vs. Chester Limbaugh, F. L. Pittman vs. E. P. Coleman, W. P. Wilkerson vs. W. H. Sikes, Harris Draughan vs. Dr. Traubitz, W. T. Malone vs. A. Ray Smith, Regs Potashnick vs. George Lough, C. L. Blanton, Jr. vs. Sam A. Brady, L. F. Mayfield vs. J. L. Matthews, H. C. Blanton vs. C. S. Meyer, Orlando Arthur vs. F. M. Robbins, G. Moore Greer vs. Ed Toof, Joe Stubbs vs. J. S. Kevill, P. M. Gervig vs. J. P. Whidden, C. L. Prowe, Sr., vs. C. E. Brenton, J. E. Harper vs. R. F. Anderson, A. Paul Bowman vs. Dr. L. O. Rodes, Byron Crain vs. Joe Bowman, C. C. Scott vs. B. V. Forrester, E. C. Matthews vs. Lyman Bowman, W. A. Anthony ????

All players are urged to get in touch with their opponents and play their first round matches off as soon as possible so that their will be no necessity of defaulting anyone.

A. F. Lindsay made a business trip to Doniphan and Dexter Tuesday.

Mrs. W. Douglas left for Memphis Wednesday, where she will make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Scott are taking a two weeks vacation trip through the East.

Mrs. H. C. Keasler had her tonsils removed Tuesday morning and is getting along nicely.

Misses Martha Gresham and Evelyn Smith spent Sunday in Poplar Bluff visiting friends.

Inman's Store Company can serve you with what you want in meats, groceries and drygoods. Phones 126, 136.

William Woods, who recently received a fractured skull in a car wreck on the Poplar Bluff road, has taken a turn for the worse and is in a very serious condition.

Lee Polk of Poplar Bluff, who was formerly District Manager of the Prudential Life Insurance Company for this district, was a business visitor in Sikeston, Tuesday.

FOR SALE—Property. See F. E. Jones, or call 576. 3t.

TO RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping.—Mrs. Leroy Moore, Phone 18.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms, hot and cold water. Call Mrs. C. C. Buchanan, 403 South Kingshighway. 2t.

FOR SALE—Practically new 2-ton International truck, perfect condition every way, bargain. Also steam merry-go-round, \$200 cash or will trade.—J. L. Hicks & Son Lbr. Co., Doniphan, Mo.

FOR SALE—Pointer pups, from stock owned by President Baldwin of the Missouri Pacific R. R. Pedigreed and eligible for registry. These dogs are beauties. Terms reasonable.—F. P. White, Bertrand, Mo. 3t.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keith spent the week-end in St. Louis.

Cultivator shovels, \$3.50 set of six. Farmers Supply Company.

Carl Denman of St. Louis arrived Tuesday for a visit with homefolks.

Mrs. Charlie Hitt of Cape Girardeau is visiting Mrs. Lon Swanner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Buckles spent Sunday in Dexter.

Miss Cecil Hoover of Cape Girardeau is the guest of Miss Lucille Finley near McMullin.

Mrs. Robert Busch and Mrs. Willis Treece of Poplar Bluff were guests of Mrs. Nickles, Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayfield drove to Mayfield, Mo., Tuesday to visit with the former's parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Ardo Dee Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Welter spent Monday afternoon in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Aulton Cravens and daughter, Miss Mildred, and Mrs. M. McAllister spent Sunday in Dexter.

Mrs. Myrtle Kassell of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. Clyde Boutwell of Stuttgart, Ark., visited in Sikeston, Wednesday.

This is the only market in Sikeston that owns their own slaughter house, kills all their own meat, insuring you the best in fresh home killed meats at all times.—Consumers Supply Co. We Deliver.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maloney of 507 Kendal Street, are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Sunday morning, June 13th. She has been named Carniece Lee. Both mother and babe are doing nicely.

It was mighty nice of Congressman Bailey to go to Florida with one of the few appointments to Annapolis that he will have at his disposal while a Congressman. Boys from the Fourteenth Congressional District will feel as kindly disposed toward him as do the farmers of all political beliefs for his vote on the Haugen Bill.

Every community has a man or two more worthless than others. Sikeston is just hooked up with one or two of this stripe and for one we are willing to assist in a good horsewhipping. One of these animals hasn't attempted to do a lick of work in several years and has threatened to kill his wife because she would not give him money to buy cigarettes. His wife is working and attempting to make a living for self and children, while he is willing to loaf and spend. We shall call no names as we have no desire to be too personal, but if any regulators will call at The Standard office, we'll point out his lair. The other man works, but whips his wife.

BOSWELL INFANT LAID TO REST HERE TUESDAY

The two and a half months old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Boswell of Morehouse, died early Tuesday morning, after an illness of only a few days. The little body was laid to rest in the Sikeston Cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 4:30. Mrs. Boswell will be remembered by Sikeston friends as Miss Lucille Lemley, formerly of this city. Her many friends join The Standard in extending sympathy to her.

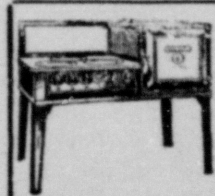
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Mrs. Percy Minton returned Sunday to her home in Indianapolis, Ind., after visiting a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. C. E. Minton.

Master Bill Van Horne entertained with a birthday picnic at Little River Saturday. Those who enjoyed the picnic were: John F. Woods, Louise Woods, G. B. Greer, Moore Greer, Jr., Esther Jane Greer and Misses Clayborn Rowan and Mildred Myers.

Miss Martha Howlett of Charleston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer Tuesday and Wednesday.

FOR RENT—Five-room house close to Factor.—Mrs. Bartlett, 538 Matthews avenue. 1t.



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